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POKEMON SPECIAL OBJECT

The Pokédex holders and their stories

Kanto region

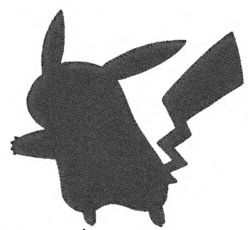


1st Chapter

Red, a young boy from Pallet Town, receives a Pokédex from Professor Oak and heads out on a Pokémon training journey. Along the way, he meets two other Trainers, Blue, who becomes his rival, and Green. Red fights evil Team Rocket with his new friends and then becomes Champion of the Pokémon League.

2nd Chapter

Two years later, Red suddenly disappears and Yellow, a mysterious new Trainer, appears at Professor Oak's laboratory in search of him.

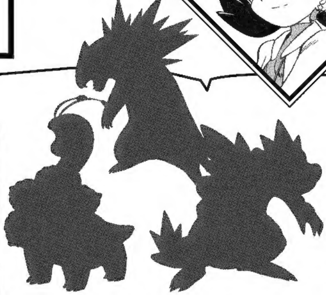


Standing in Yellow's way is the Kanto Elite Four, led by Lance. In a major battle at Cerise Island, Yellow manages to stymie the group's evil ambitions.

Johto region

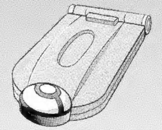


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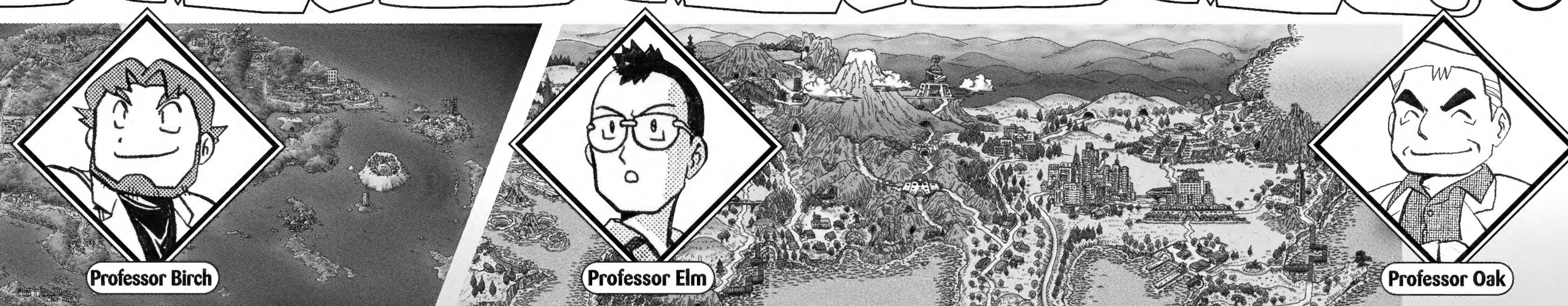
A year later, Gold, a boy living in New Bark Town in a house full of Pokémon, sets out on a journey in pursuit of Silver, a Trainer who stole a Totodile from Professor Elm's laboratory. The two don't get along at first, but eventually they become partners fighting side by side. During their journey, they meet Crystal, the trainer who Professor Elm entrusts with the completion of his Pokédex. Together, the trio succeed to shatter the evil scheme of the Mask of Ice, a villain who leads what remains of Team Rocket.

Hoenn region



4th Chapter

Pokémon Trainer Ruby has a passion for Pokémon Contests. He runs away from home right after his family moves to Littleroot Town. He meets a wild girl named Sapphire and they pledge to compete with each other in an 80-day challenge to...



SPECIAL OBJECT

Kanto region



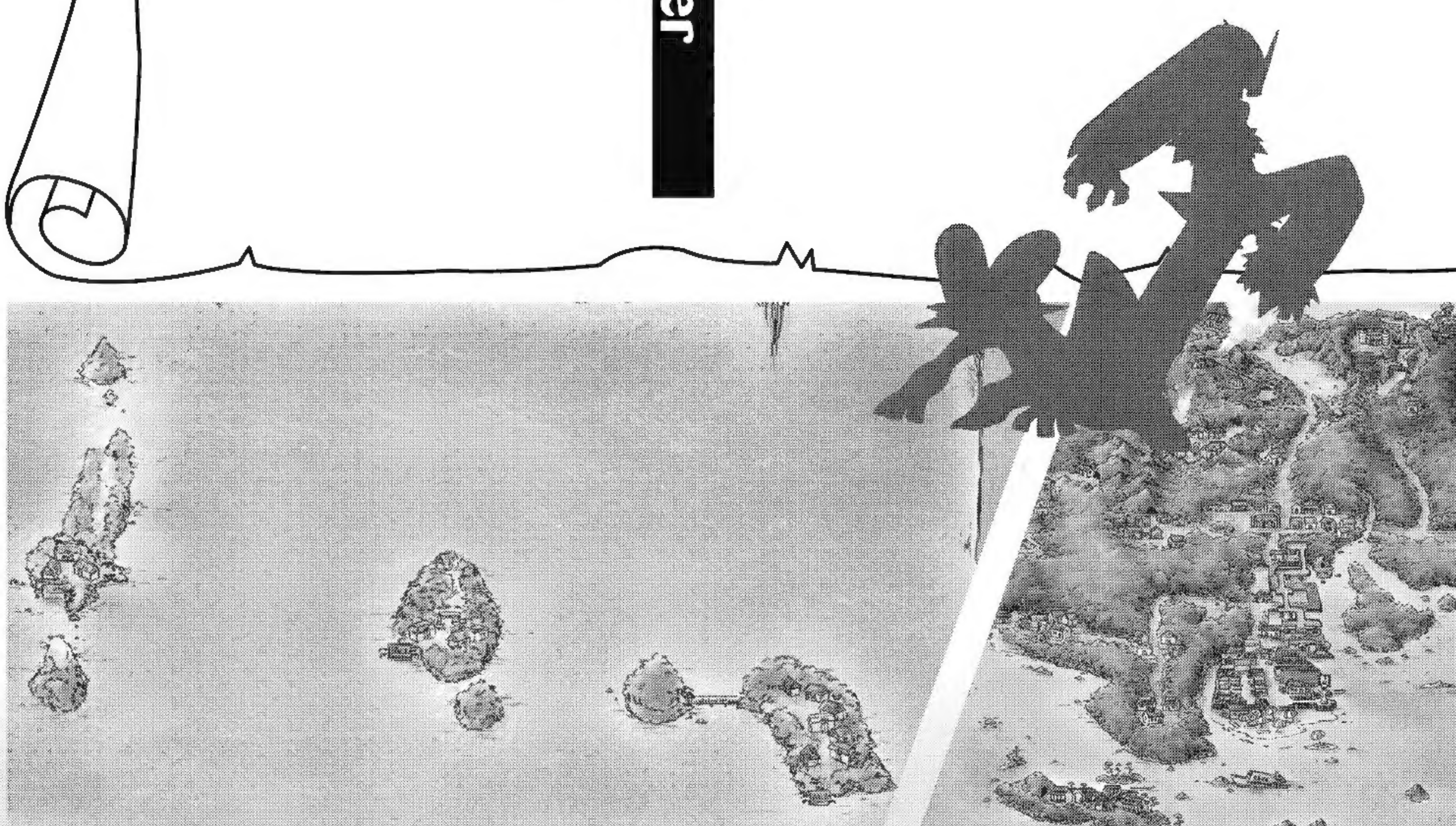




...win every Pokémon Contest and every Pokémon Gym Battle, respectively. Meanwhile, in the Hoenn region, Team Aqua and Team Magma set their evil plot in motion. As a result, Legendary Pokémon Groudon and Kyogre are awakened and inflict catastrophic climate changes on Hoenn. In the end, thanks to Ruby and Sapphire's heroic efforts, the two legendary Pokémon go back into hibernation.

5th Chapter

Six months later, Red and Blue are called down to Professor Oak's laboratory, only to be attacked by a mysterious enemy. They then discover messages from Professor Oak instructing them to give up their Pokédexes...

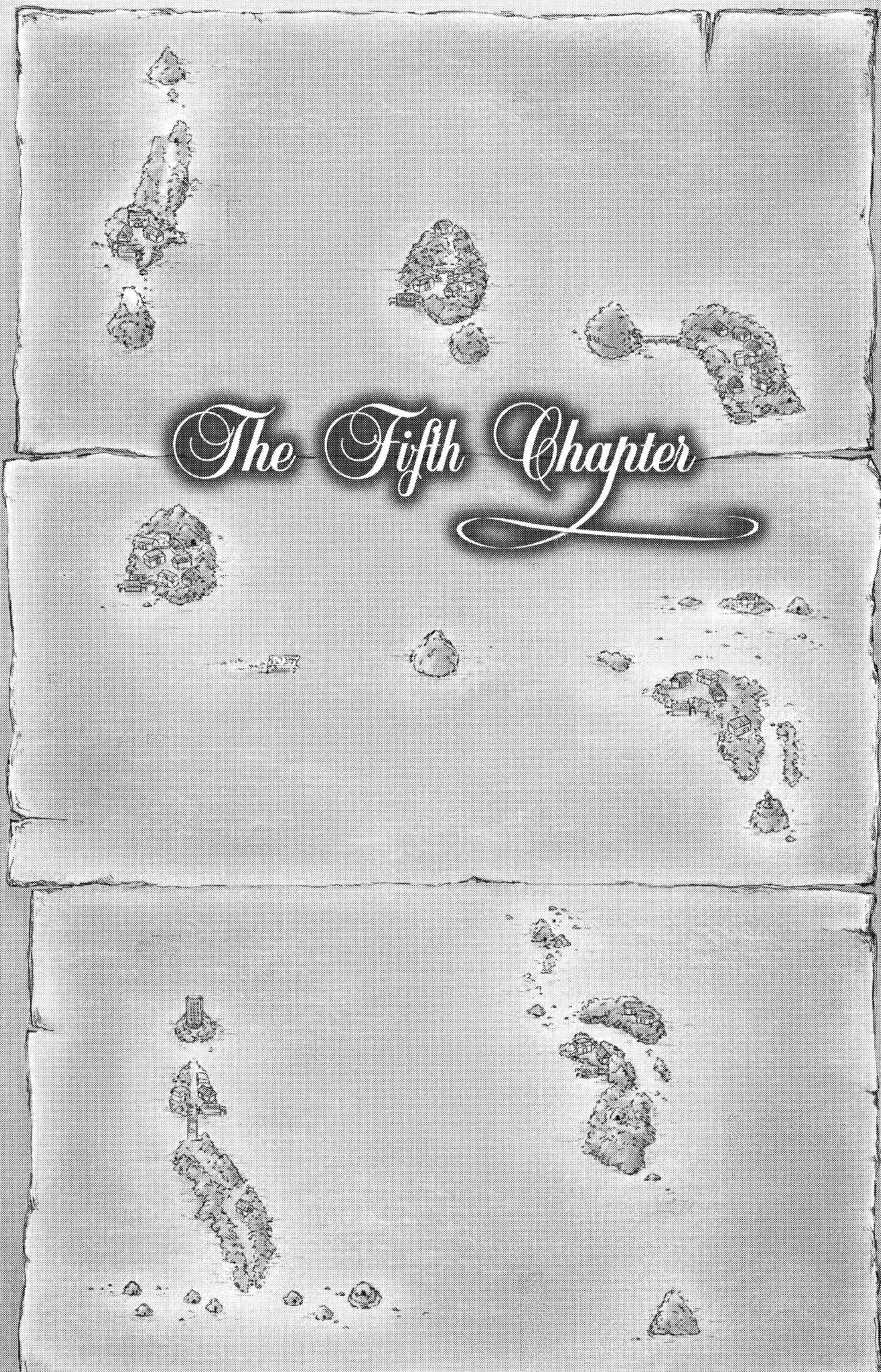


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The Fifth Chapter


FLASH
WE HAVE A BREAK-OUT!
THIS STORY TAKES PLACE A FEW YEARS BEFORE...
...THE MASKED MAN THAT TERRORIZED THE KANTO AND JOHTO REGIONS.
HUF
HUF
HUF
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, SILVER?!
HUF
HUF
RSTL
TODAY IS THE ONLY DAY WE CAN MAKE OUR ESCAPE!
HUF
HUF
HUF
LET'S PULL OFF OUR MASKS BEFORE WE BREAK OUT OF HERE.
ONE, TWO...


JUST AS I THOUGHT. HIS POWER IS WEAK TODAY.
IT CAME OFF EASILY...
SO THAT'S WHAT YOU LOOK LIKE!
COME ON. WE'VE GOT TO HURRY UP AND GET OUT OF HERE—NOW!
THREE PAIRS OF BOYS AND GIRLS WERE CHOSEN TO BE THE "MASKED CHILDREN"...AND TRAINED TO BE THE "ARMS AND LEGS" OF THE MASK OF ICE.
WE WERE KIDNAPPED BY HO-OH WHEN WE WERE VERY YOUNG.


THIS IS WHERE WE ARE NOW.
LET'S DO A QUICK DOUBLE-CHECK, SILVER...
BUT GREEN AND I HAVE ALWAYS LOOKED FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO ESCAPE.
WE MANAGED TO GET OUT OF THE BUILDING WHERE WE'VE BEEN LIVING AND TRAINING ALL THIS TIME...
AND THE ONLY WAY TO GET PAST IT IS...
SCRCH
...THROUGH...
BUT THE WHOLE AREA IS SURROUNDED BY A FORCE FIELD CREATED BY PSYCHIC-TYPE POKÉMON.
...THIS UNDER-GROUND PASSAGE. IT'S THE ONLY WAY OUTSIDE.
KLANK
KLANK
BUT THAT'S ALL I KNOW...
KLANK
IT WAS TOO HARD FOR ME TO FULLY INVESTIGATE THE ROUTE LEADING OUTSIDE IN ADVANCE.


HEY! THEY WENT THAT-A-WAY!
PLUS ...
...HIS ROOM IS SOMEWHERE BETWEEN HERE AND THE EXIT!
OVER THERE!
DON'T LET THEM ESCAPE!
OVER HERE!
TMP
DON'T LET THEM SEE YOUR FACE!
THERE THEY ARE!
!
MEOWTH, SCRATCH!
NATU, PSYCHIC!
EEVEE, BITE!
HOUNDOUR, EMBER!


SMASH
FIRE
WHOA!
SILVER!
SCRATCH
FSSSSS
DON'T WORRY! I SAW WHICH WAY THEY WENT!
FSSSS
WHOA!
KOFF KOFF!

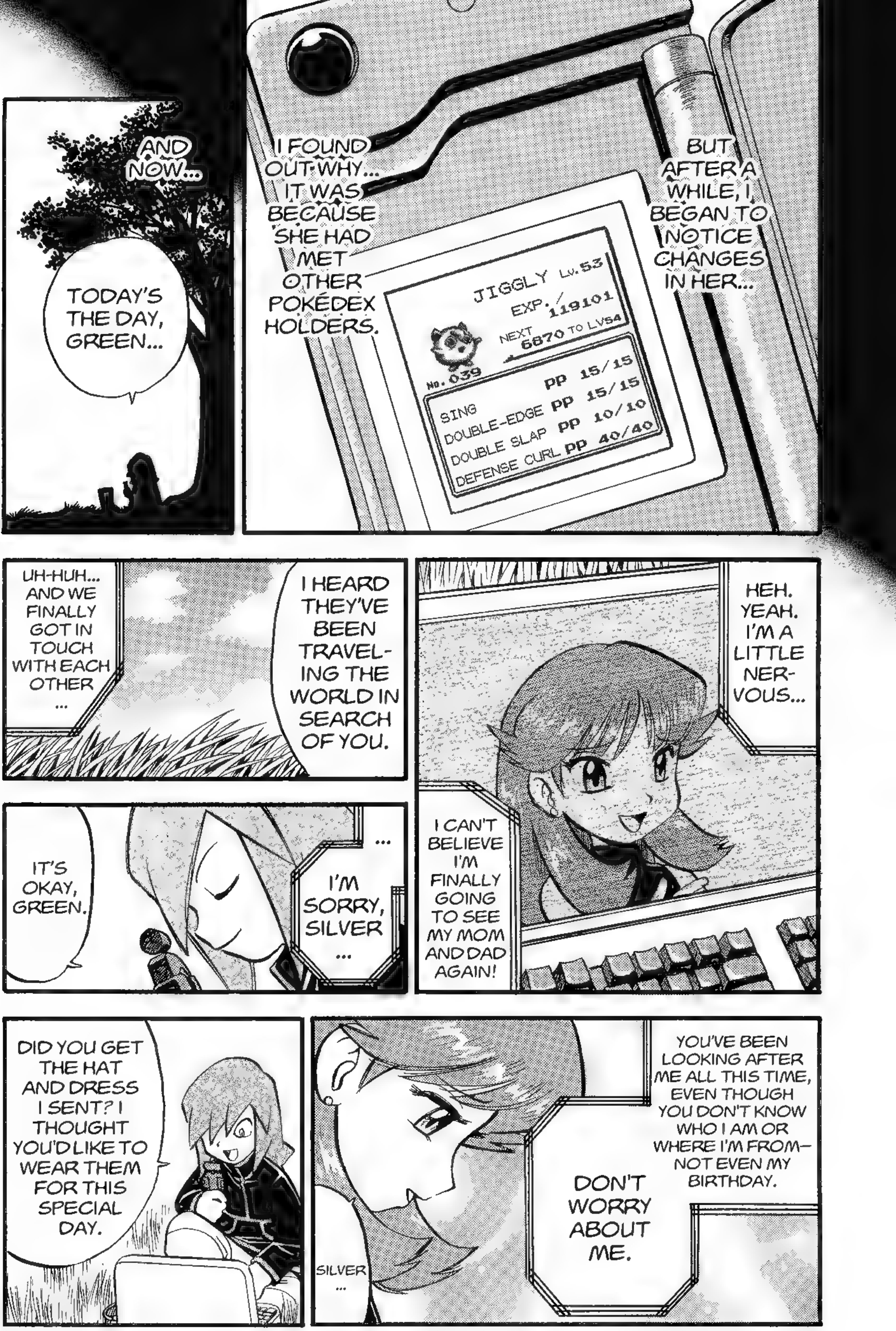

ARE YOU SURE YOU SAW THEM TURN THIS WAY?
POSI-TIVE!
LET'S SEARCH THE OTHER PASSAGE.
A DEAD END?!
!
FWIP
FWIP
PFFF
FFFFFTTTT

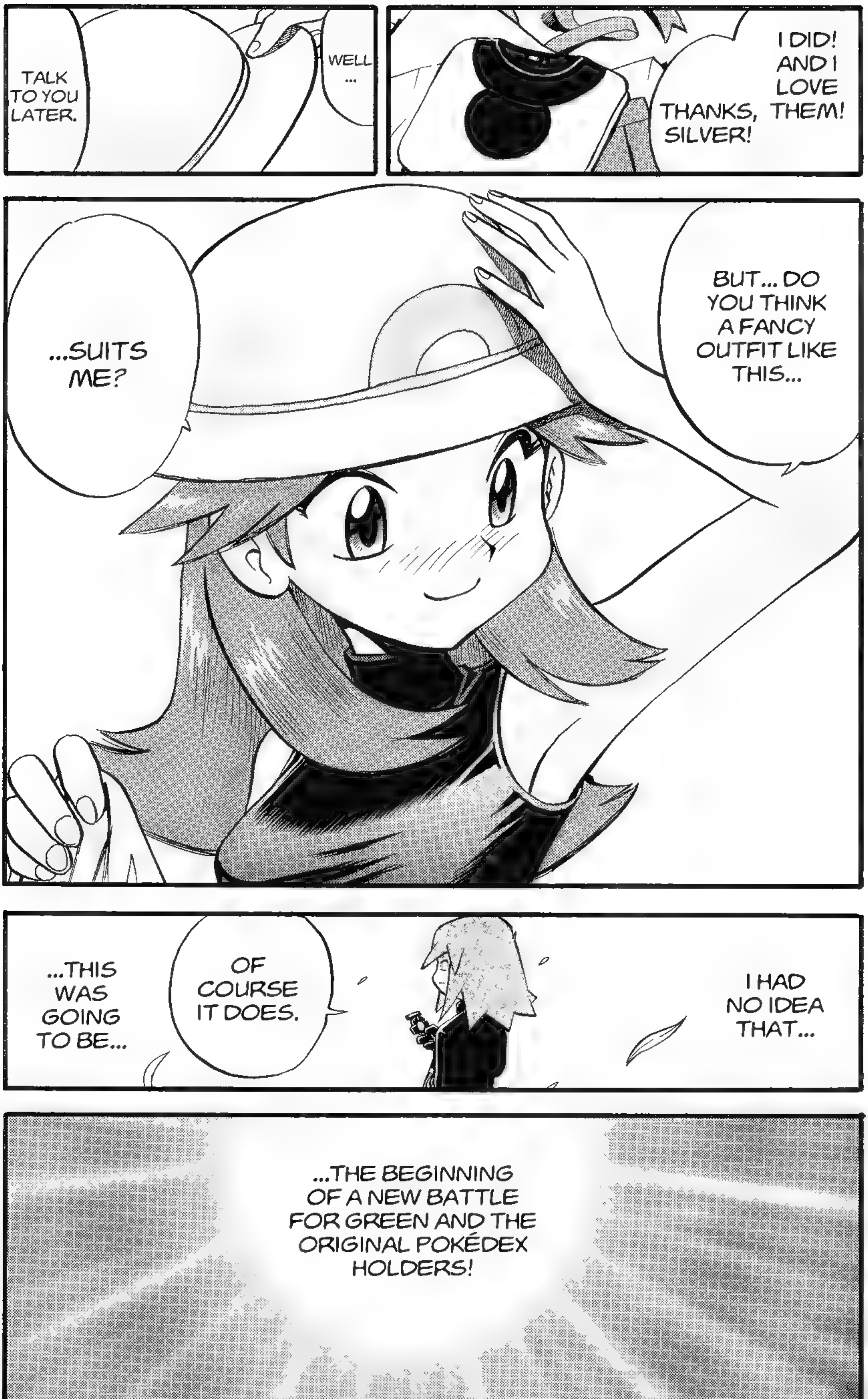

WE DON'T NEED TO WORRY ABOUT ANYBODY ELSE COMING AFTER US.
FFFTTT
THE EXIT MUST BE NEARBY.
!!
WHOA!
THIS MUST BE HIS ROOM.
IT'S GOT A CARVING OF US ON IT!!
THAT WAS A SURPRISE! IT'S ALL RIGHT, THOUGH. JUST A STATUE.
WHAT ?!
HE'S SLEEPING ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THAT CURTAIN.
THAT'S RIGHT. AND HE IS IN THERE, ACTU-ALLY.
CAREFUL, GREEN... WE DON'T KNOW WHERE HE IS! HE COULD BE IN THERE RIGHT NOW!


DON'T WORRY. HE CAN BARELY MOVE TODAY.
THERE'S A DAY ONCE EVERY FEW MONTHS WHEN HE GETS REALLY WEAK FOR SOME REASON.
AND IF MY CALCULATIONS ARE CORRECT, THAT DAY IS... ...TODAY!
GREEN WAS RIGHT.
LATER, WE FOUND OUT THAT AT THAT POINT THE MASK OF ICE HAD ALREADY TRIED TO TRAVEL THROUGH TIME.
A LIGHT WOULD SHINE DOWN ON THE ILEX FOREST SHRINE WHEN THE MOON WAS WAXING OR WANING.
HE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT THE POKÉ BALL THAT CAN CAPTURE TIME, SO HE WOULD TRY TO CATCH THE LIGHT WITHOUT IT. AND EVERY TIME HE WOULD GET HURT.
IT'S NOT ENOUGH TO ESCAPE WITH JUST THE CLOTHES ON OUR BACKS...
HMM...
HEH HEH...
LET'S TAKE THESE WITH US TOO!
FWIP


THERE IT IS!
FWIP
I CAN SEE IT!
ZOOM
THE WORLD OUTSIDE!
...
TINK
TINK
TINK
THEY'VE ...
... ESCAPED ...
TINK
HUF.
HUF.
IMPOSSIBLE!


WHAT'S THIS I FEEL...? LONELI-NESS?
THAT'S...AN EMOTION. I THOUGHT I'D RID MYSELF OF THOSE... LONG AGO...
AND THAT WAS THE FIRST DAY OF THE REST OF OUR LIVES—OF FREEDOM ON THE OUTSIDE!
GREEN AND I MANAGED TO SURVIVE ON OUR OWN, BUT THE MEMORIES OF THAT MAN LEFT A SHADOW ON US...
THERE WAS A THORN THAT REMAINED STUCK IN HER HEART.
A NICKNAME FOR YOUR POKÉMON?! IT DOESN'T NEED ONE!
FOR SOME REASON, SHE NICKNAMED ALL HER POKÉMON EXCEPT JIGGLYPUFF, HER OLDEST PARTNER.
WELL DONE, JIGGLY-PUFF. ♪


BUT AFTER A WHILE, I BEGAN TO NOTICE CHANGES IN HER...
I FOUND OUT WHY... IT WAS BECAUSE SHE HAD MET OTHER POKÉDEX HOLDERS.
JIGGLY Lv.53
EXP. / 119101
NEXT 6870 TO LV54
No. 039
SING PP 15/15
DOUBLE-EDGE PP 15/15
DOUBLE SLAP PP 10/10
DEFENSE CURL PP 40/40
AND NOW...
TODAY'S THE DAY, GREEN...
HEH. YEAH. I'M A LITTLE NERVOUS...
I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M FINALLY GOING TO SEE MY MOM AND DAD AGAIN!
I HEARD THEY'VE BEEN TRAVELING THE WORLD IN SEARCH OF YOU.
UH-HUH... AND WE FINALLY GOT IN TOUCH WITH EACH OTHER...
... I'M SORRY, SILVER...
IT'S OKAY, GREEN.
YOU'VE BEEN LOOKING AFTER ME ALL THIS TIME, EVEN THOUGH YOU DON'T KNOW WHO I AM OR WHERE I'M FROM— NOT EVEN MY BIRTHDAY.
DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME.
SILVER...
DID YOU GET THE HAT AND DRESS I SENT? I THOUGHT YOU'D LIKE TO WEAR THEM FOR THIS SPECIAL DAY.


TALK TO YOU LATER.
WELL...
I DID! AND I LOVE THEM!
THANKS, SILVER!
BUT... DO YOU THINK A FANCY OUTFIT LIKE THIS...
...SUITS ME?
OF COURSE IT DOES.
I HAD NO IDEA THAT...
...THIS WAS GOING TO BE...
...THE BEGINNING OF A NEW BATTLE FOR GREEN AND THE ORIGINAL POKÉDEX HOLDERS!

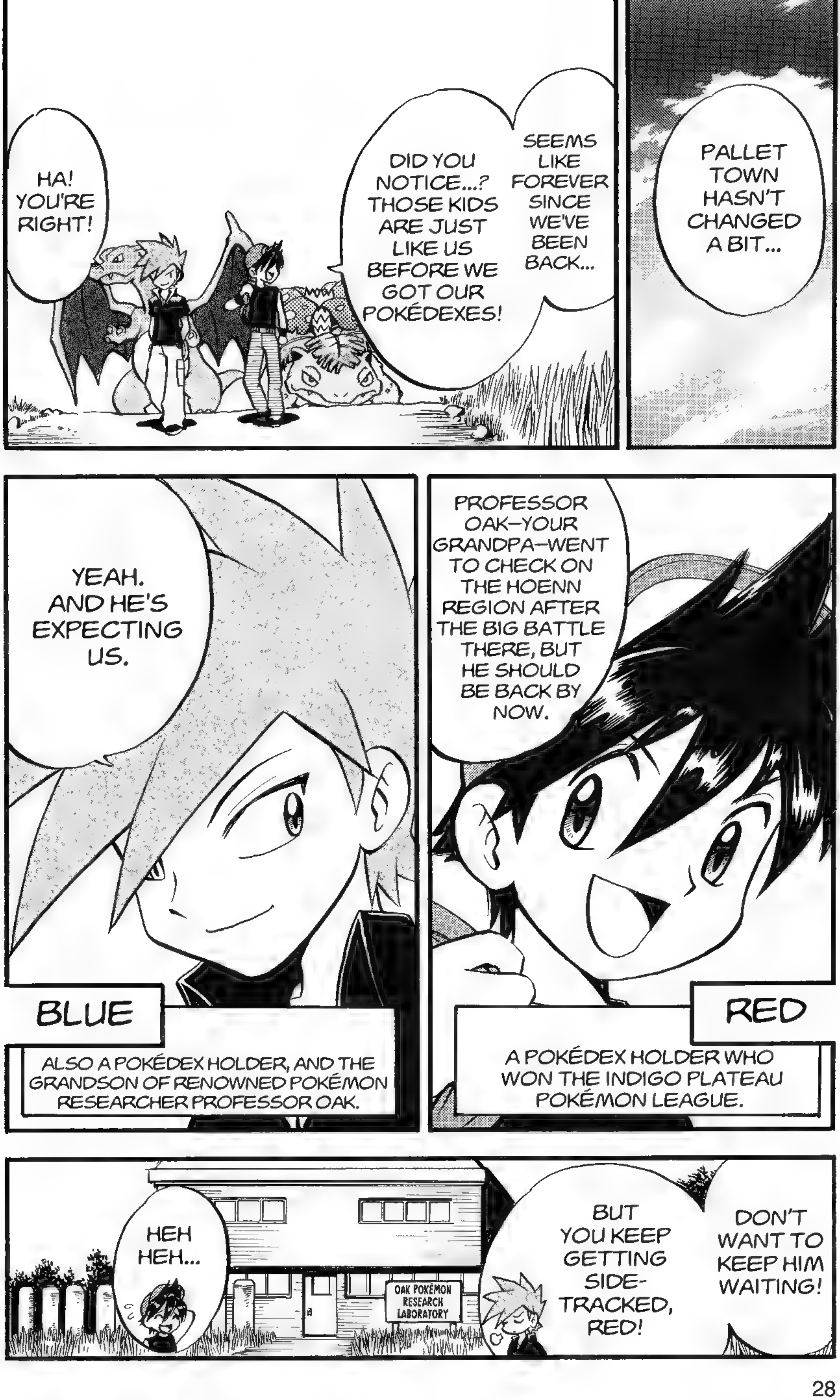

WELL, SNEASEL... WE'D BETTER...
...GET GOING TOO...
SILVE
FLAPFLAP
IT'S BEEN ABOUT SIX MONTHS...
...SINCE THAT FIERCE BATTLE BETWEEN KYOGRE AND GROUDON...

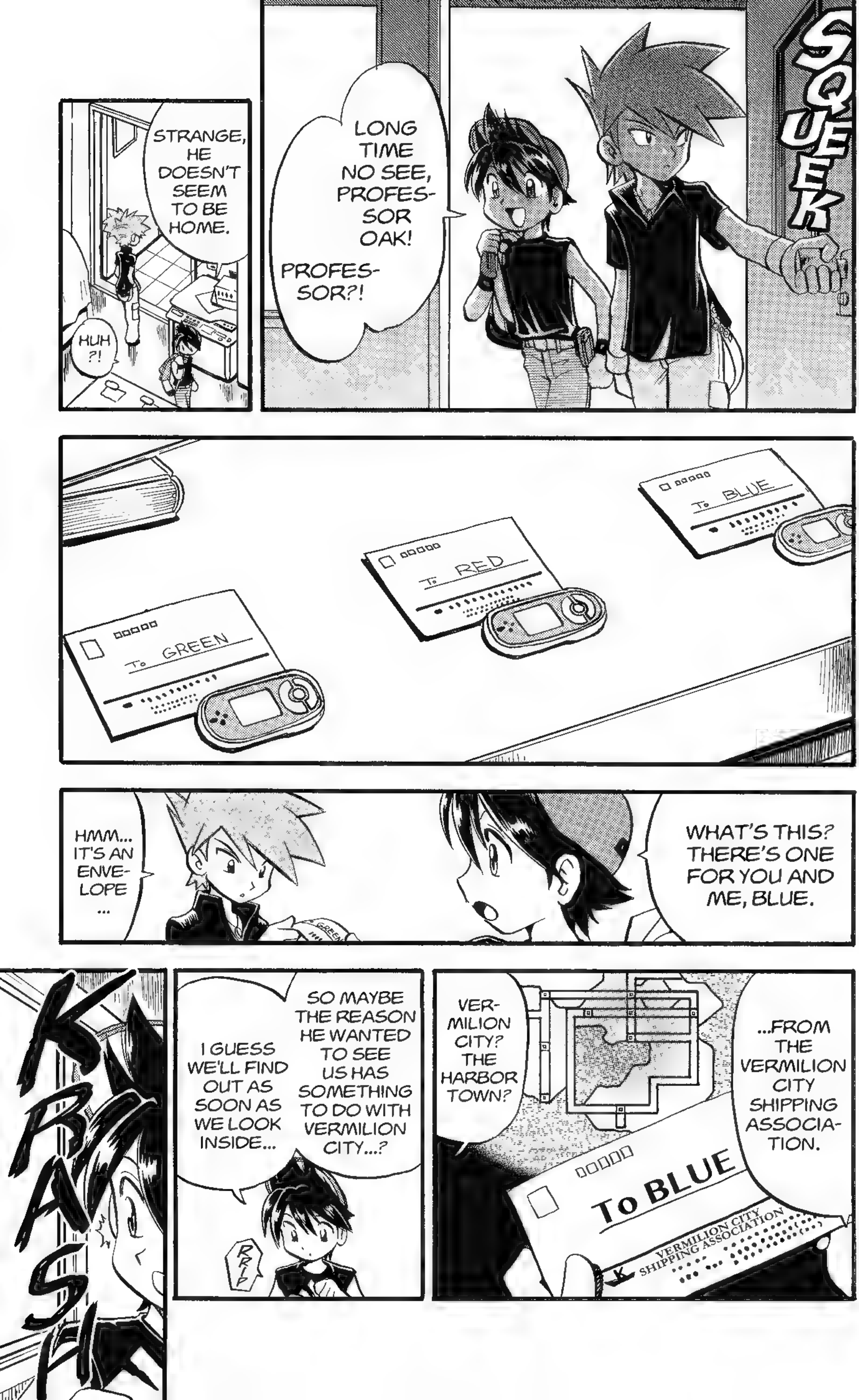
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Return to Pallet Town




THE KANTO REGION ... PALLET TOWN ...
YOU REALLY THINK YOU CAN CATCH IT?
OF COURSE I CAN!
SLINK
OKAY, IT'S MY TURN NOW!
TCH! IT BOUNCED OFF AGAIN!
OH YEAH!
I'M GONNA CAPTURE THIS NIDORINO AND TRAIN IT!
YOU HAVE TO **FIGHT** THE POKÉMON **BEFORE** YOU TRY TO CATCH IT.
HEY, IT LOOKS LIKE YOU HAVE A POWERFUL GENGAR!
BRING IT OUT TO FIGHT FOR YOU—COME ON!
WHAT? OH, OKAY.
HMPH... I FAILED...
HA HA HA! THAT'S BECAUSE YOU THREW THE POKÉ BALL FIRST.
HUH?
BOINK


BOOM
SMASH
SEE? THIS TIME YOU DIDN'T FAIL!
HURRY UP NOW! WE NEED TO GET GOING ...
UM, EXCUSE ME, BUT... ARE YOU TWO...?


PALLET TOWN HASN'T CHANGED A BIT...
SEEMS LIKE FOREVER SINCE WE'VE BEEN BACK...
DID YOU NOTICE...? THOSE KIDS ARE JUST LIKE US BEFORE WE GOT OUR POKÉDEXES!
HA! YOU'RE RIGHT!
PROFESSOR OAK—YOUR GRANDPA—WENT TO CHECK ON THE HOENN REGION AFTER THE BIG BATTLE THERE, BUT HE SHOULD BE BACK BY NOW.
RED
A POKÉDEX HOLDER WHO WON THE INDIGO PLATEAU POKÉMON LEAGUE.
YEAH. AND HE'S EXPECTING US.
BLUE
ALSO A POKÉDEX HOLDER, AND THE GRANDSON OF RENOWNED POKÉMON RESEARCHER PROFESSOR OAK.
DON'T WANT TO KEEP HIM WAITING!
BUT YOU KEEP GETTING SIDE-TRACKED, RED!
OAK POKÉMON RESEARCH LABORATORY
HEH HEH...


SQUEEK
LONG TIME NO SEE, PROFESSOR OAK!
PROFESSOR?!
STRANGE, HE DOESN'T SEEM TO BE HOME.
HUH ?!
To BLUE
To RED
To GREEN
WHAT'S THIS? THERE'S ONE FOR YOU AND ME, BLUE.
HMM... IT'S AN ENVELOPE...
...FROM THE VERMILION CITY SHIPPING ASSOCIATION.
To BLUE
VERMILION CITY SHIPPING ASSOCIATION
VERMILION CITY? THE HARBOR TOWN?
SO MAYBE THE REASON HE WANTED TO SEE US HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH VERMILION CITY...?
I GUESS WE'LL FIND OUT AS SOON AS WE LOOK INSIDE...
RRIP
KRASH


ZIP
WHAT ?!
SWISH
SAUR!
THUD
SMASH
CHARIZARD!
SLASH
SMAK
WHAT'S GOING ON? WHAT ARE THEY FIGHTING AGAINST--?!
WHAT-EVER IT IS, IT'S TOO QUICK!


FWOOSH
CHARIZARD, FLAME-THROWER!
WHAMF
SAUR, SOLAR-BEAM!
PFFEW
SSSSS
HUF
HUF
HUF
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, RED?!
RSTL
I'M GOING TO GO LOOK FOR HIM!
WHATEVER THAT WAS, WE NEED TO TALK TO PROFESSOR OAK—AND FAST!
WHY ISN'T HE HERE ANYWAY? HE CALLED US ALL THE WAY OUT HERE TO MEET WITH HIM!
ZZIP


OKAY ...
I'LL GO WITH YOU!
BUT FIRST, LET'S LISTEN TO THIS...
THAT DEVICE NEXT TO THOSE ENVE-LOPES...? WHAT IS IT?
A FAME CHECKER.
BASICALLY, IT'S A SOUND RECORDER.
YOU THINK YOUR GRANDPA LEFT US A MESSAGE?
MAYBE. IT'S WORTH A TRY.
DEAR POKÉDEX HOLDERS, LISTEN CAREFULLY. I'M GOING TO HAVE TO...
...TAKE AWAY YOUR POKÉDEXES !!

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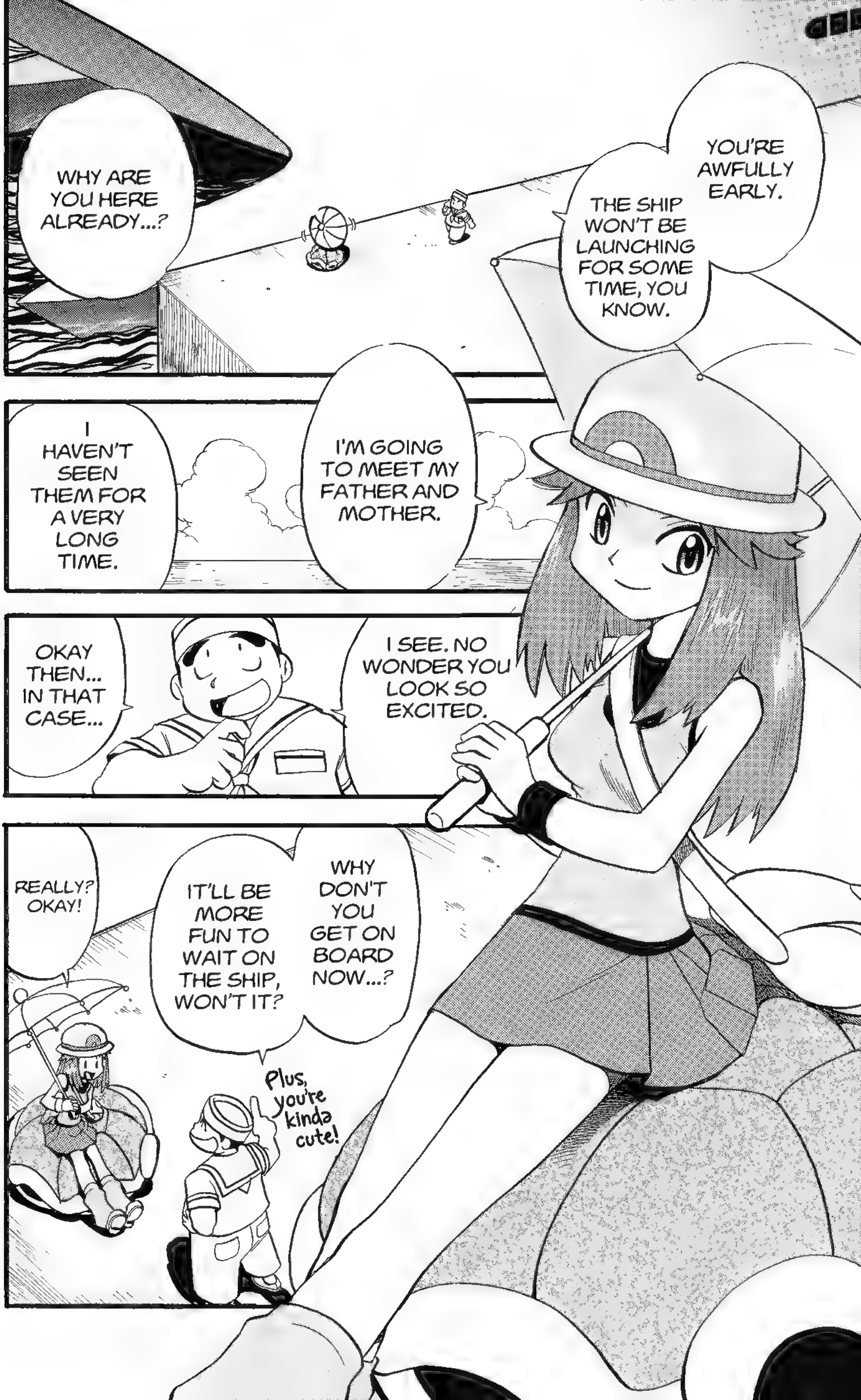

DEAR POKÉDEX HOLDERS, LISTEN CAREFULLY. I'M GOING TO HAVE TO...
...TAKE AWAY YOUR POKÉDEXES!
THE COMPUTER ON MY DESK IS CONNECTED TO THE STORAGE SYSTEM.
I WANT YOU TO PLACE YOUR POKÉDEXES IN THERE.
NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I LISTEN TO IT, IT'S THE SAME... THIS MESSAGE FROM PROFESSOR OAK...
...RECORDED ON THIS FAME CHECKER WITH MY NAME ON IT...
...
BLUE!


STRTCH
TINK
FSSST
KLICK KLICK
...
WZZZZZ

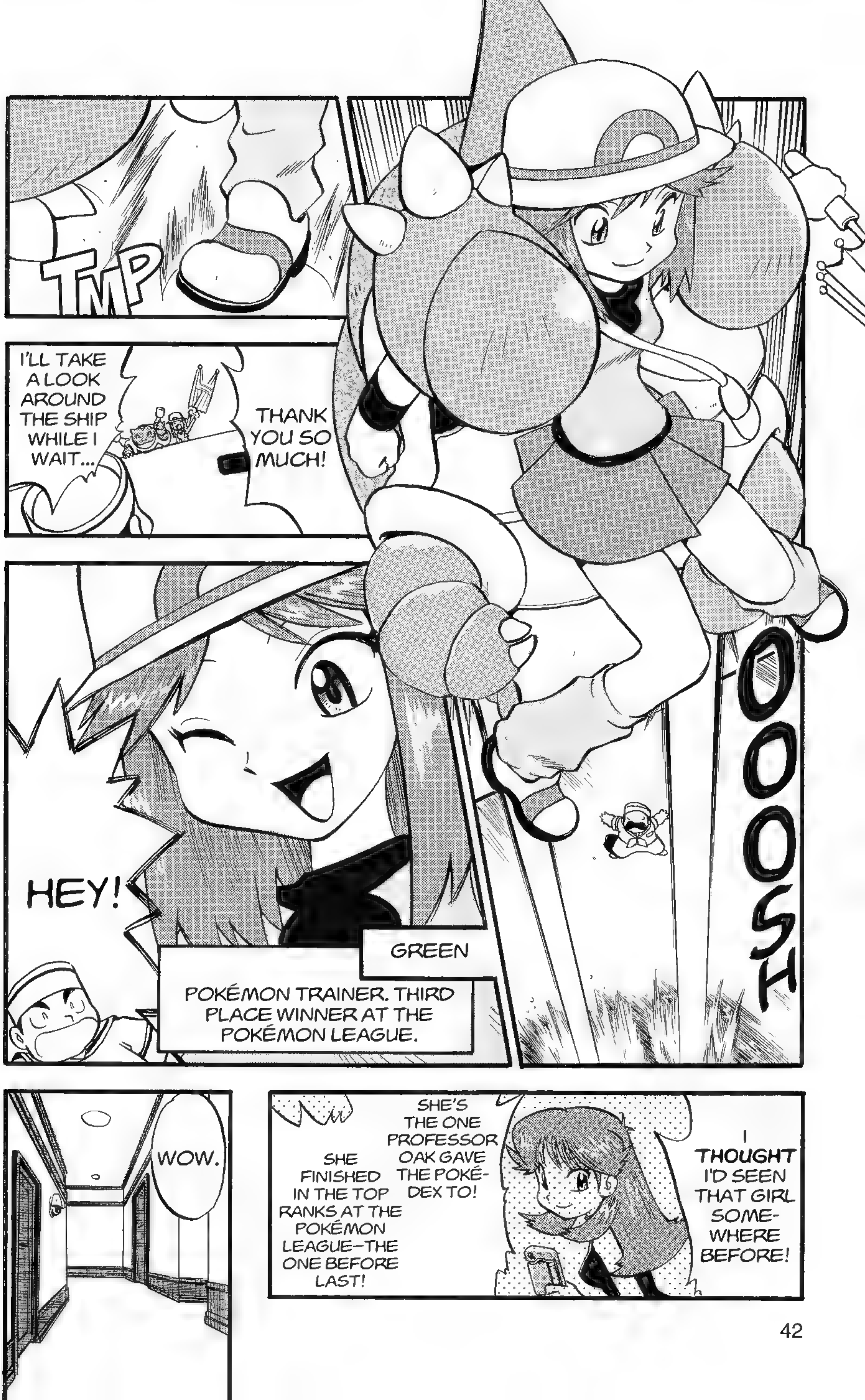

SSSSSSS
OUR POKÉ-DEXES ...
...ARE GONE.
IF THAT'S WHAT PROFESSOR OAK WANTS, THAT'S WHAT HE GETS!
RIGHT. SAME GOES FOR ME.
I HAVE NO IDEA WHY HE DECIDED TO TAKE THE POKÉDEXES AWAY FROM US...
BUT...
AERO!
BOM


LET'S GO, BLUE! TO VERMILION CITY!
YEAH!
OH!
SAUR!
FFLP

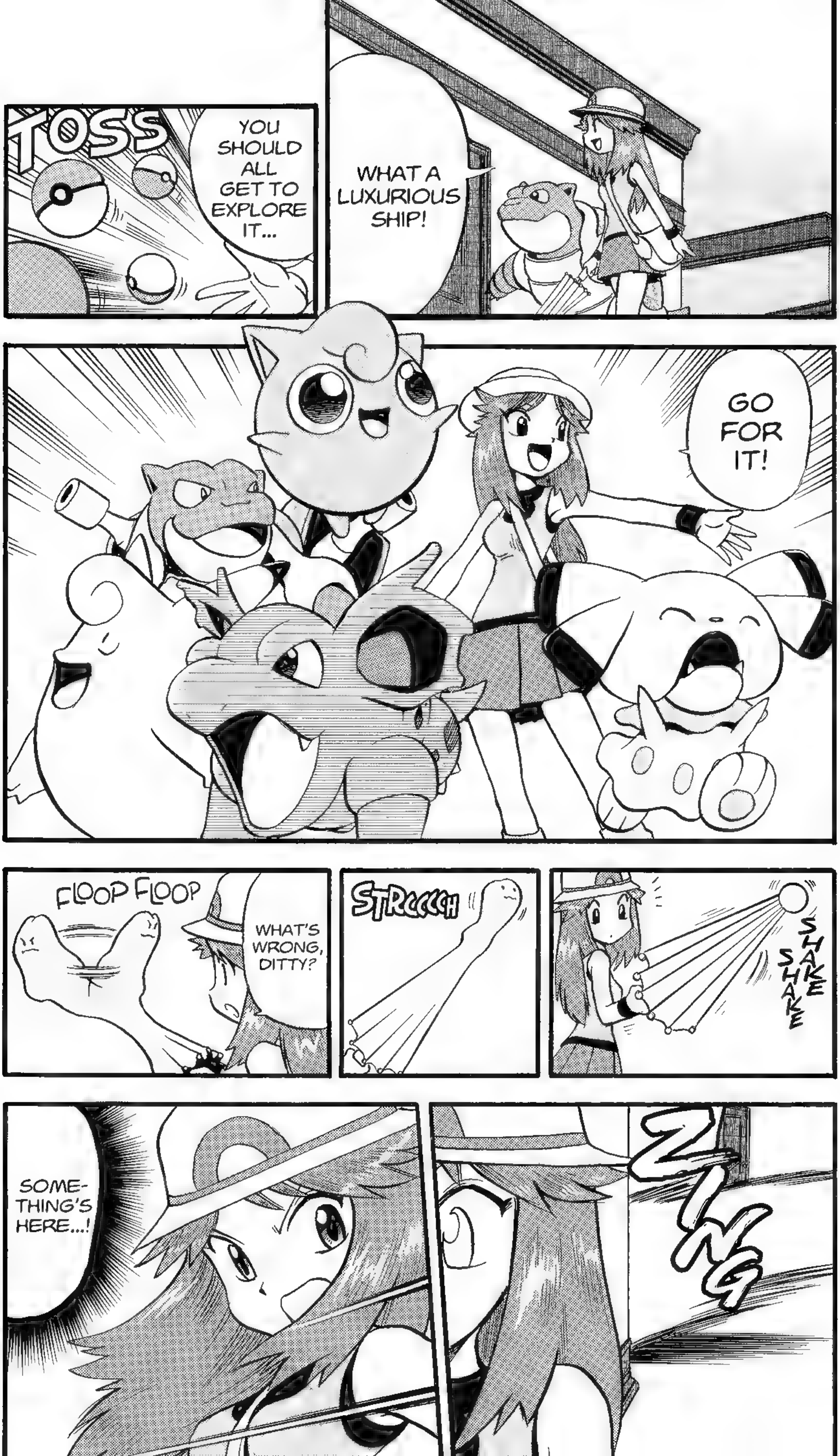

TO GREEN
CATCH
YOINK
FLAPFLAP
EH?
VER-MILION CITY


WHY ARE YOU HERE ALREADY...?
YOU'RE AWFULLY EARLY.
THE SHIP WON'T BE LAUNCHING FOR SOME TIME, YOU KNOW.
I HAVEN'T SEEN THEM FOR A VERY LONG TIME.
I'M GOING TO MEET MY FATHER AND MOTHER.
OKAY THEN... IN THAT CASE...
I SEE. NO WONDER YOU LOOK SO EXCITED.
REALLY? OKAY!
IT'LL BE MORE FUN TO WAIT ON THE SHIP, WON'T IT?
WHY DON'T YOU GET ON BOARD NOW...?
Plus, you're kinda cute!


Tri-Pass
DO YOU HAVE YOUR TRI-PASS WITH YOU?
YES!
OH? WAIT A SEC... I HAVEN'T CONNECTED THE GANG-PLANK TO THE SHIP YET!
NO PROB-LEM!
BLASTY!
!
BOOM
LET'S GO!
TNKTNKTNK
FOOSH
OOOH!



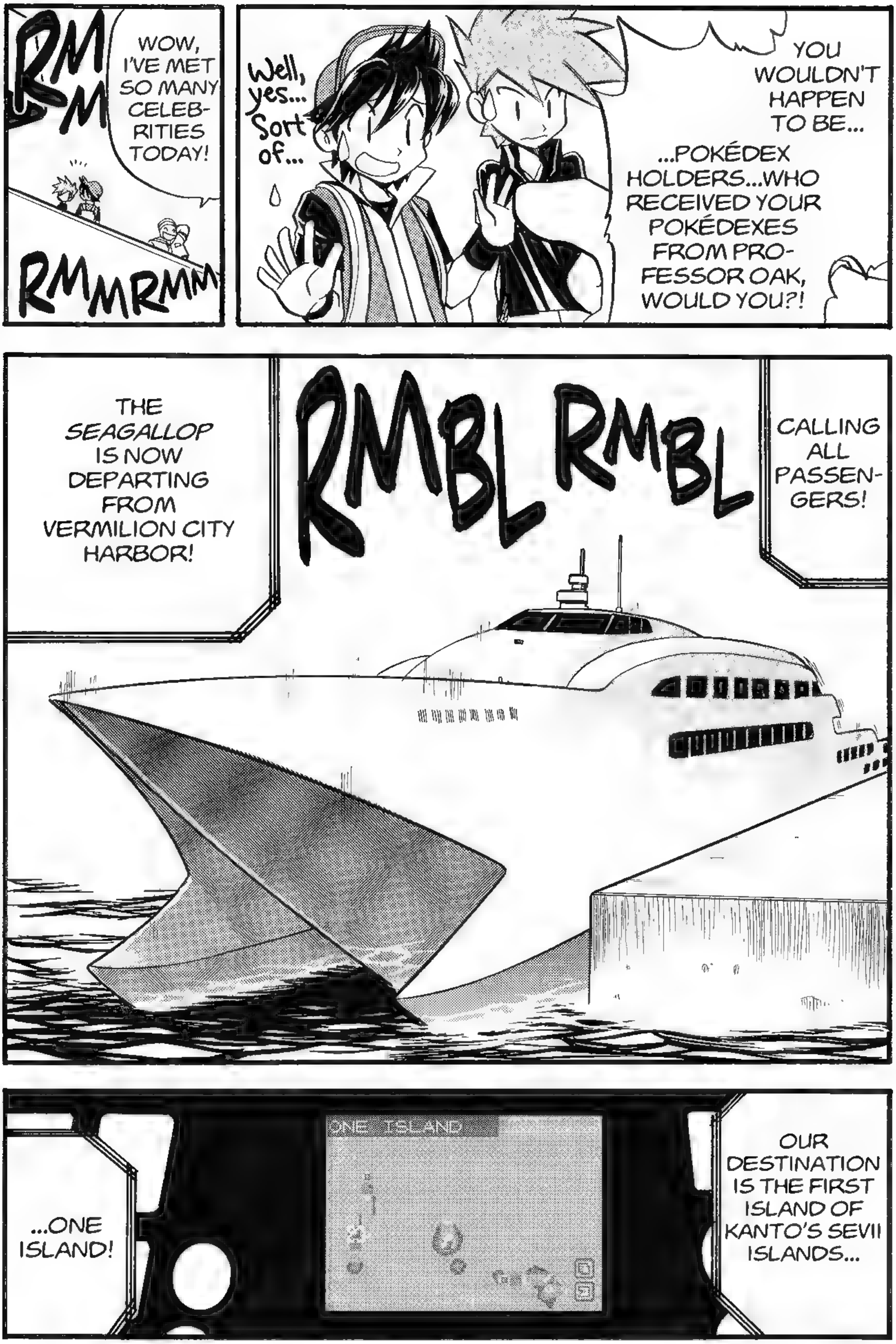
TMP
I'LL TAKE A LOOK AROUND THE SHIP WHILE I WAIT...
THANK YOU SO MUCH!
HEY!
GREEN
POKÉMON TRAINER. THIRD PLACE WINNER AT THE POKÉMON LEAGUE.
WHOOOOOSH
WOW.
I THOUGHT I'D SEEN THAT GIRL SOMEWHERE BEFORE!
SHE'S THE ONE PROFESSOR OAK GAVE THE POKÉDEX TO!
SHE FINISHED IN THE TOP RANKS AT THE POKÉMON LEAGUE—THE ONE BEFORE LAST!


WHAT A LUXURIOUS SHIP!
YOU SHOULD ALL GET TO EXPLORE IT...
TOSS
GO FOR IT!
WHAT'S WRONG, DITTY?
FLOOP FLOOP
STRCCCCH
SHAKE SHAKE
SOME-THING'S HERE...!
ZING



KRRAS
FWIP
FWIP
FWIP
SH
AH!
BLASTY!
EVERYONE!
THERE IT IS! THE VERMILION CITY HARBOR!
HEY, THIS WAS INSIDE THE ENVELOPE PROFESSOR OAK LEFT FOR US.
IT SAYS TRI-PASS ON IT. DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHAT THAT IS?
NOPE. FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN IT.


WHOA!
FWUMP
LET'S GO!
JUMP
YOU CAUGHT ME BY SUR- PRISE!
OH ...?
ARE YOU BOARDING THE SEA-GALLOP AS WELL?!
Tri-Pass
Tri-Pass
YOU'RE HOLDING A TRI-PASS!
SOME PASSENGERS ARRIVE TOO EARLY AND SOME PASSENGERS ARRIVE TOO LATE— ALMOST!
EH?
PHEW, YOU MADE IT.
IT'S ABOUT TO DEPART ANY MINUTE NOW!
GET ON BOARD! GET ON BOARD!


RMRM
WOW, I'VE MET SO MANY CELEBRITIES TODAY!
RMMRMM
YOU WOULDN'T HAPPEN TO BE...
...POKÉDEX HOLDERS...WHO RECEIVED YOUR POKÉDEXES FROM PROFESSOR OAK, WOULD YOU?!
Well, yes... Sort of...
RMBL RMBL
CALLING ALL PASSENGERS!
THE SEAGALLOP IS NOW DEPARTING FROM VERMILION CITY HARBOR!
OUR DESTINATION IS THE FIRST ISLAND OF KANTO'S SEVII ISLANDS...
ONE ISLAND
...ONE ISLAND!


SMASH
KRAK
KRASH
RMM
RMM
BONG
TCH!
FIRST, I HAVE TO FIGURE OUT WHAT I'M FIGHTING AGAINST!
AH!
SMASH



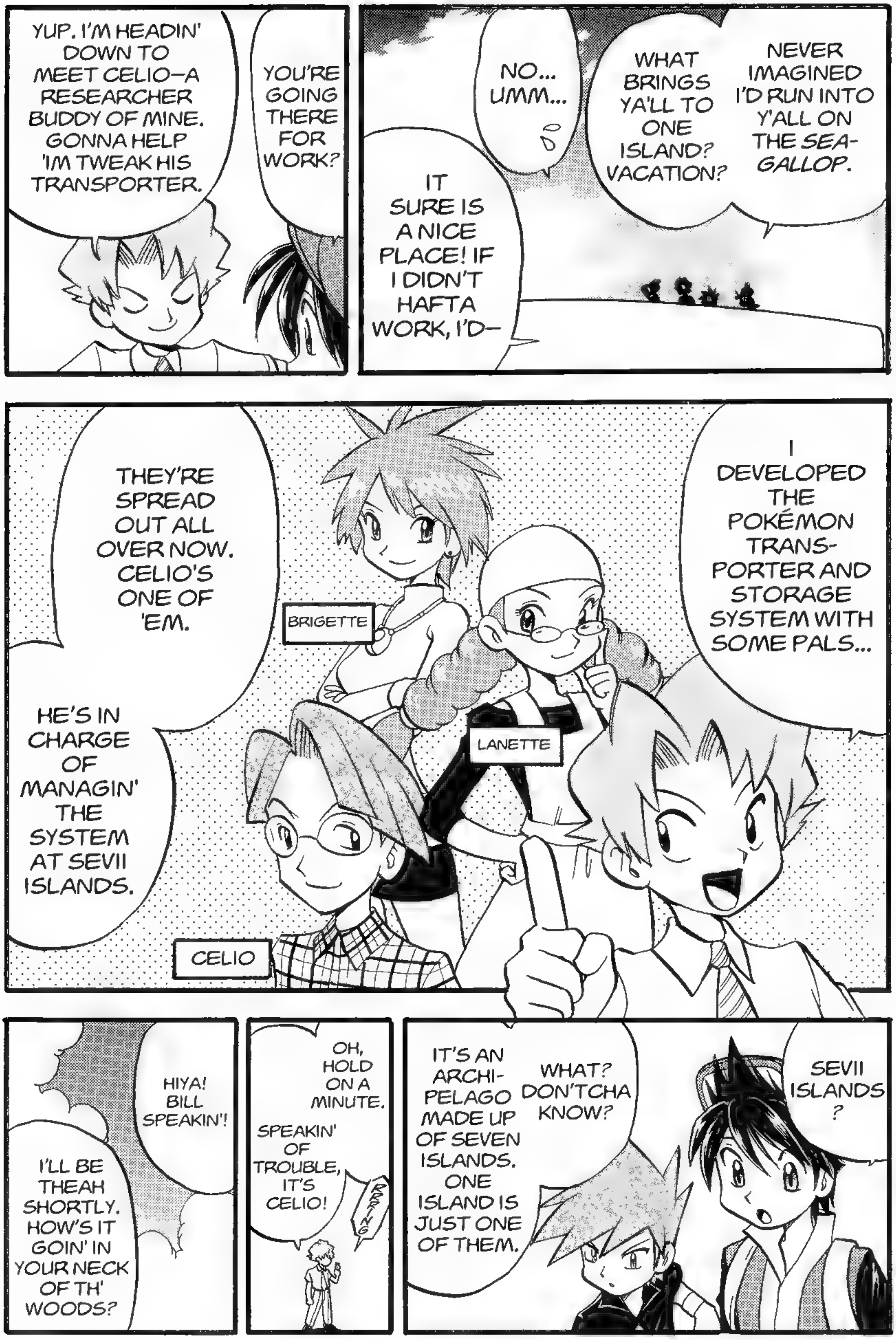
SHOOT! I DON'T HAVE MY POKÉDEX!
THEN I'LL USE ...
... THIS!
THE SILPH SCOPE...
...WHICH LETS ME SEE GHOSTS!
SNAP
SMASH
I'VE IMPROVED IT SO IT CAN IDENTIFY **ANY** POKÉMON!
NOW ...
...SHOW YOURSELF!


WZZZ
GRAB
SLAP
AH...!
THAT'S--!

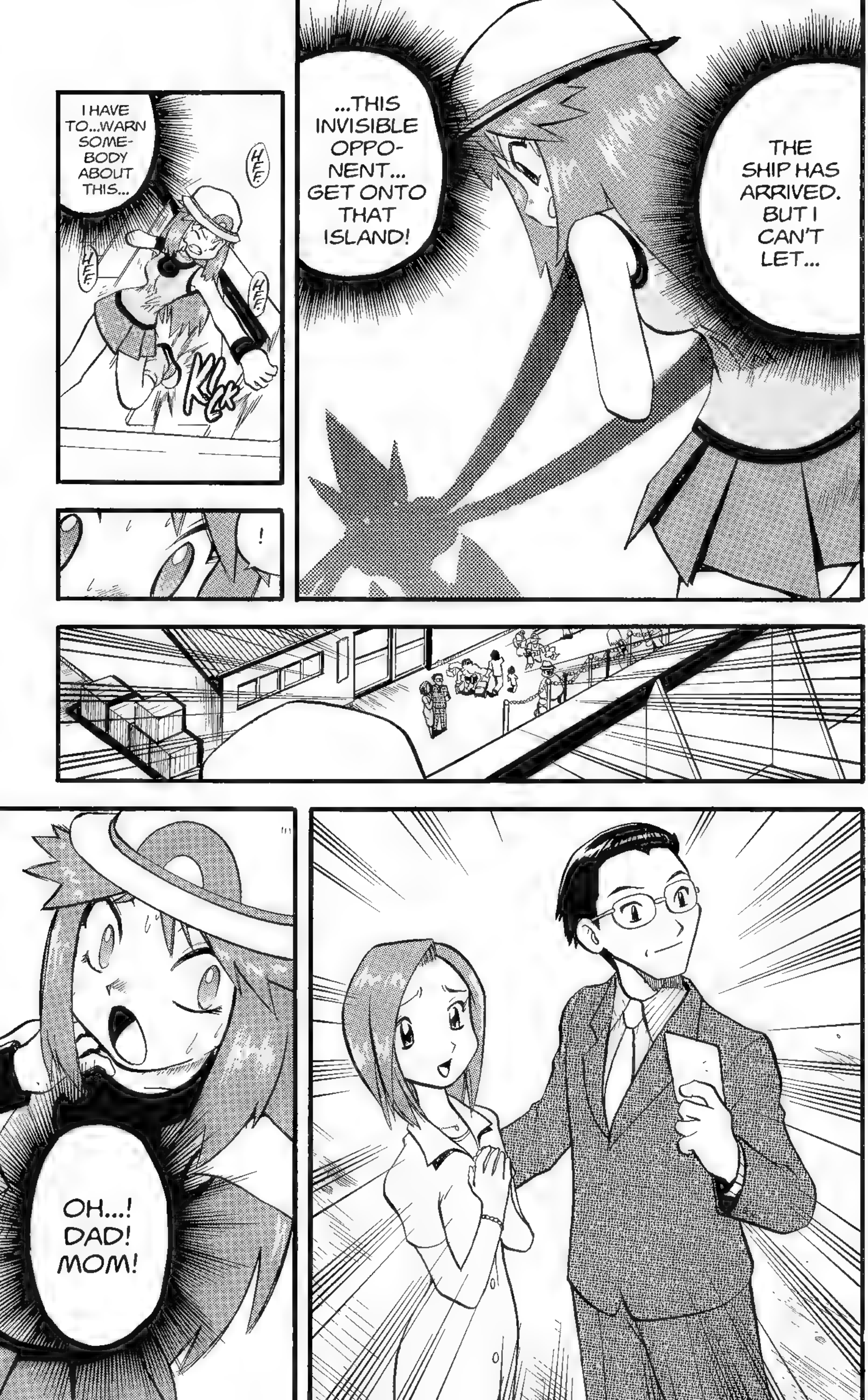

ZOOP
!
I CAN'T BREATHE... OR MOVE!
URGH ...
I'M BEING STRANGLED BY...SOME KIND OF INVISIBLE FORCE...
SQU EEZE
MY SILPH SCOPE ...
FFP
FFF
P
F
SNAP
...GOT DRAGGED INTO THAT... DARK-NESS!
FP


HM...
MMRRRMM
BEATS ME.
WHAT KIND OF PLACE IS THIS ONE ISLAND ANYWAY?
WE GOT ON WITHOUT A CLUE AS TO WHERE WE'RE GOING...
...WERE TICKETS TO THIS FERRY...
THE TRI-PASSES PROFESSOR OAK LEFT US...
Tri-Pass
HEY, PIKA! WHAT'S UP?
HUH ?
TUG TUG
BOOM
RTTL
RTTL


AIYEEE!
ZZZT ZZZT ZZT
I'VE SEEN THAT THERE PIKACHU BEFORE!
ARE YA...
DOES THAT MEAN...!
PIKA!
YEP! THIS ELECTRIC SHOCK! I KNEW IT...
BILL!
RED! BLUE!
IS DAISY...
...HERE TOO?
NOPE.
SHE STAYED BEHIND.
HOW'S IT GOIN'?!
LONG TIME NO SEE!


NEVER IMAGINED I'D RUN INTO Y'ALL ON THE *SEA-GALLOP*.
WHAT BRINGS YA'LL TO ONE ISLAND? VACATION?
NO... UMM...
IT SURE IS A NICE PLACE! IF I DIDN'T HAFTA WORK, I'D–
YOU'RE GOING THERE FOR WORK?
YUP. I'M HEADIN' DOWN TO MEET CELIO–A RESEARCHER BUDDY OF MINE. GONNA HELP 'IM TWEAK HIS TRANSPORTER.
I DEVELOPED THE POKÉMON TRANS-PORTER AND STORAGE SYSTEM WITH SOME PALS...
THEY'RE SPREAD OUT ALL OVER NOW. CELIO'S ONE OF 'EM.
BRIGETTE
LANETTE
HE'S IN CHARGE OF MANAGIN' THE SYSTEM AT SEVII ISLANDS.
CELIO
SEVII ISLANDS?
WHAT? DON'TCHA KNOW?
IT'S AN ARCHI-PELAGO MADE UP OF SEVEN ISLANDS. ONE ISLAND IS JUST ONE OF THEM.
OH, HOLD ON A MINUTE.
SPEAKIN' OF TROUBLE, IT'S CELIO!
RRRING
HIYA! BILL SPEAKIN'!
I'LL BE THEAH SHORTLY. HOW'S IT GOIN' IN YOUR NECK OF TH' WOODS?


NOTHING'S CHANGED. I STILL CAN'T CONNECT TO THE STORAGE SYSTEM.
AS A MATTER OF FACT, IT'S GOTTEN WORSE.
AT FIRST WE JUST HAD TROUBLE CONNECTING TO THE KANTO MAINLAND...
...BUT NOW WE CAN'T EVEN CONNECT TO THE OTHER ISLANDS OF SEVII.
I CAN'T FIGURE OUT WHY THIS IS HAPPENING!
WELL, I'LL TAKE A LOOK-SEE WHEN I GET THEAH. MEET ME AT THE NETWORK CENTER, ALL RIGHT?
HMPH... WHAT A PAIN.
DING
DONG
CALLING ALL PASSENGERS... THANK YOU FOR SAILING WITH THE SEAGALLOP...
WE ARE NOW DOCKING AT ONE ISLAND...
URGH...


THE SHIP HAS ARRIVED. BUT I CAN'T LET...
...THIS INVISIBLE OPPONENT... GET ONTO THAT ISLAND!
I HAVE TO...WARN SOMEBODY ABOUT THIS...
HFF.
HFF.
HFF.
!
OH...! DAD! MOM!



THEY'RE LOOKING AT MY PHOTO-GRAPH! THEY'VE SEEN ME...
NO ...
THEY'RE COMING THIS WAY!
ISN'T THAT GREEN ?!
HEY ...
THE DARK-NESS ...
FF
F
IT'S GOING TO....
FF
SOME-THING'S WRONG!
WE'VE GOT TO HELP HER!
FWIP FWIP



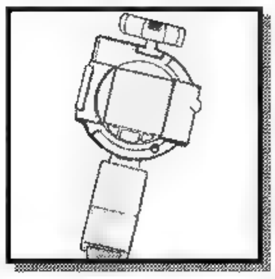
DAD! MOM! NO-O-O-O!
STOP!
ZLIP
ZOOOP
O
ZOOP
ZOOOP


BLIP
TNK
FSSS
ZOOP
WHY...?
DAD! MOM!
WHY ?!

CHARACTER PROFILE RED







RED

A TRAINER WHO TRAVELED THROUGHOUT THE KANTO REGION AFTER RECEIVING A POKÉDEX FROM PROFESSOR OAK. A QUICK-TEMPERED YET CHEERFUL BOY WHO GREW UP QUICKLY AFTER BATTLING TEAM ROCKET AND ENCOUNTERING MANY DIFFERENT POKÉMON AND PEOPLE. EVENTUALLY, HE GREW SKILLED AND POWERFUL ENOUGH TO BECOME THE CHAMPION OF THE NINTH POKÉMON LEAGUE. LATER, HE FACED THE KANTO ELITE FOUR AND WAS AN INVALUABLE FIGHTER IN THE NOTORIOUS MASKED MAN INCIDENT. HE IS CURRENTLY JOURNEYING TO THE SEVII ISLANDS WITH BLUE UNDER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES... DOES DANGER AWAIT THEM?



- **Birthplace: Pallet Town**
- **Birthday: August 8**
- **Blood Type: O**
- **Age: 16 Years Old** (As of the Fifth Chapter)
- **Prizes Won: The Ninth Pokémon League (Kanto/Johto Tournament) Winner.**

● Adventure 271 ●
...Now You Don't.




WHY...?
DAD... MOM...
STGGR
GREEN?!
HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN ...?
HWOOSH
NO!
TOSS
POLI, GO!
BOOM


GRAB
TMP
NICE WORK, POLI!
IS THE ENEMY ...
...STILL NEARBY ...?
SCIZOR!
BOM


GRAB
!
KRN
CAPTURE THE INVISIBLE ENEMY...
HIT IT!


HSSSSS
BLUE! WE HAVE TO TAKE HER TO A HOSPI-TAL!
WHATEVER YOU WERE FIGHTING... IS GONE NOW...
...
JINGLE JINGLE
__Month __Day
I finally get to meet my Mom and Dad tomorrow!



WE'RE MIGHTY THANKFUL, CELIO.
WE DON'T KNOW ANYTHING 'BOUT THIS ISLAND... GLAD YOU WERE HERE T' HELP.
NO PROBLEM, BILL. I'M JUST GLAD THERE WAS A BED FREE AT THE FIRST AID STATION.
A FEW HOURS LATER ...
POKÉMON NET CENTER
APPARENTLY THEIR TRAINER ...
...HAS BEEN TRAUMATIZED BY THIS INCIDENT...
THAT'S WHAT THE DOCTOR SAID.
AND THOSE POOR POKÉMON...
HER BLASTOISE AND THE OTHERS ARE BEING TREATED RIGHT NOW AS WELL.
NO DOUBT ABOUT IT.
I WAS SORRY TA DO IT, BUT... AH READ HER DIARY. FOUND IT ON THE FLOOR.
BILL, ARE YOU SURE THAT...
...GREEN CAME TO THIS ISLAND TO MEET HER FATHER AND MOTHER?
WELL... I'LL BE GOING THEN...
SURE THING. AND... THANKS.


YEP...
HARD TA BELIEVE, HUH?
THAT MEANS THOSE PEOPLE WHO DISAPPEARED ...
...MUST HAVE BEEN GREEN'S PARENTS.
ZOOP
Month Day
finally get to meet my Mom and Dad tomorrow!
THE IMPORTANT THING NOW IS TA FIND OUT WHAT HAPPENED TO 'EM.
YOU CAIN'T HELP BUT FEEL SORRY FOR HER.
GRAB
WHAT ?!
ACCORDIN' TO HER DIARY, GREEN WAS AT PALLET TOWN YESTERDAY.
HURMM.
FLIP FLIP
!
AND... IT SAYS HERE SHE...
... RETURNED HER POKÉDEX TO PROFESSOR OAK.


SHE RETURNED HER POKÉDEX TO PROFESSOR OAK AND...SHE WAS ATTACKED BY A MYSTERIOUS ENEMY!
FWIP FWIP
FWIP
RRASH
SWISH
JUST LIKE US!
AH!
RIGHT. THIS IS NO COINCIDENCE.
IT'S A GOOD THING YOU RETRIEVED HER DIARY.
GRR
GREEN'S SILPH SCOPE!
BUT I'VE FOUND ...
... SOMETHING EVEN BETTER.
!
RSSSP
THIS SCOPE SHOULD TELL US SOMETHING ...!
IT'S BADLY DAMAGED, BUT THE PLAYBACK FUNCTION STILL WORKS.
SHE MUST HAVE BEEN WEARING IT WHEN SHE WAS FIGHTING THAT INVISIBLE ENEMY.


WHAT TH' HECK IS THAT...?!
NONE OF THIS MAKES A LICK OF SENSE!
WE DON'T KNOW WHO THE ENEMY IS! WE DON'T KNOW WHAT ABILITY IT HAS OR HOW COME IT ATTACKED YOU AND HER!
WHY?!
AND WHAT FOR?!
RIGHT. WE DON'T KNOW ANY OF THAT.
BUT THERE IS ONE THING WE'RE SURE OF...!


BLUE AND I ARE GOING TO FIGHT THIS ENEMY!
AND...
...WE'LL DEFEAT IT...
...NO MATTER WHAT!
HOLD ON, RED!
WHAT MAKES YOU THINK YA GOT A CHANCE OF BEATIN' IT?
NOTHING.
WHEN IT ATTACKED US IN PALLET TOWN, IT WAS MUCH STRONGER AND FASTER THAN US.


THAT...
...DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE...
WE'LL JUST HAVE TO TRAIN AND IMPROVE OUR SKILLS THEN!
THEN WHAT ARE YA FIXIN' TA DO?!
BLUE AND I KNOW HOW MUCH...
...IT MEANT TO GREEN TO MEET HER PAR-ENTS!
HOW ARE YA GONNA IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS WHEN YOU'RE ALREADY SO STRONG? ARE YA PULLIN' MAH LEG?!
I HAVEN'T MET ANY TRAINERS STRONGER'N YOU TWO IN THE LAST FIVE YEARS!
WHAT ARE YA THINKIN' ?!
WE HAVE TO.
HOW ARE WE GOING TO IMPROVE OUR SKILLS IN SUCH A SHORT TIME...?
BUT WE DON'T HAVE A LOT OF TIME TO TRAIN...
HM...
...
SHE LOST THEM FOR THE SECOND TIME— RIGHT IN FRONT OF US! THAT'S MORE THAN ENOUGH REASON FOR US TO FIGHT!


AND THIS LOOKS LIKE AN INTERESTING FRIENDSHIP RIGHT HERE.
JINGLE
PEOPLE SAY "FRIENDS GATHER AT KNOT ISLAND"...
THERE IS ONE WAY FOR YOU TO BECOME STRONGER.
...YOU TWO MIGHT COME HERE TO MASTER ...
CACKLE CACKLE
I HAD A PREMONITION THAT...
...SPECIAL MOVES!
...MY...
JINGLE JINGLE

POKÉMON ON TEAM RED 1

Pika/Pikachu ♂

Electric

- **LV. 88 (As of Adventure 271)**
- **Ability: Static**
- **Sassy Nature**

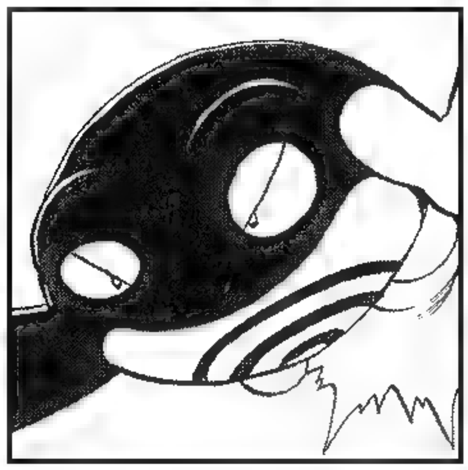


Pika met Red at Pewter City and since then has been a core member of Red's team. When Red went missing, Pika traveled with Yellow.

Poli/Poliwrath ♂

Water
Fighting

- **LV. 80 (As of Adventure 271)**
- **Ability: Damp**
- **Brave Nature**



Poli is the first Pokémon Red caught as a child. Poli has fought alongside Red for a long time and is great backup for the team.

Saur/Venusaur ♂

Grass
Poison

- **LV. 82 (As of Adventure 271)**
- **Ability: Overgrow**
- **Gentle Nature**



Red received this Pokémon with the Pokédex from Professor Oak. Saur has evolved into its final form after countless adventures.

• Adventure 272 •
Old Ultima Puts Them to the Test




I HAD A PREMONITION! A PREMONITION THAT YOU TWO MIGHT BE ABLE TO MASTER...
...MY SPECIAL MOVE!
...
HEY, WE'RE KIND OF IN A HURRY, GRANDMA. WE DON'T HAVE TIME TO CHAT.
WHAT ?!
COME BACK HERE, YOU WHIPPER-SNAP-PERS!
SWISH
OO


WZZZZzz
BOOM
SAUR!
CHARIZARD!
BOOM
WHA
WFF WFF WFF


KA-CHANG
WH...
WHAT'D YOU DO THAT FOR?!


BFFF
NOW IF YOU ARE TRULY ...
SHFF
I HAD TO STOP YOU.
WHAT ELSE COULD I DO? YOU WERE WALKING AWAY FROM ME!
...POKÉMON TRAINERS... USE YOUR POKÉMON ...
...AND SHOW ME THE STUFF YOU'RE MADE OF!



LET'S HEAR THE RUMBLE OF BATTLE! THE CRACKLE OF BLAZING FIRE!
PULL IT OUT! THE POWER OF VERDURE!
FOOOSH
ROOARR
KRASH




URK!
Oops...
ACK!
TIME TO PREPARE FOR DEPARTURE...
!
ER, SORRY. GOT CARRIED AWAY. PUT A LITTLE TOO MUCH OOMPH INTO THAT, HEH HEH...
ULTIMA! YOU AGAIN!?
OH CRIMINEY! I ONLY LET YOU ONBOARD BECAUSE YOU SAID YOU WERE JUST GOING SIGHTSEEING AT KINDLE ROAD AND MT. EMBER.
IF YOU'RE GOING TO CAUSE A RUCKUS AS USUAL, I'M TAKING YOU RIGHT BACK TO TWO ISLAND!
UNDER-STOOD, ULTIMA?!
ALL RIGHT, ALREADY... BUT SHOULDN'T YOU BE MORE RESPECTFUL OF YOUR FRAGILE ELDERS...?
!
"ULTIMA"?
ULTIMA... ULTIMA...
YOU KNOW HER, BILL?


I'VE HEARD THAT NAME SOMEWHERE BEFORE... BACK WHEN I WAS JUST A YOUNG'UN.
A STORY 'BOUT AN OLD LADY... WHO LIVES ALONE ON A FAR-OFF ISLAND NEAR THE KANTO MAINLAND... WHERE SHE SAFE-GUARDS THE TRADITION OF SPECIAL POKÉMON MOVES.
AND THAT OLD LADY'S MONIKER IS...
...ULTI-MA!
THAT'S ME ALL RIGHT!
OOH, I'M GLAD TO SEE MY FAME PRECEDES ME—WITH SOMEONE AT LEAST.
A GUARDIAN OF... SPECIAL MOVES?!
SHE MIGHT BE AMAZING, BUT... THAT DOESN'T GIVE HER THE RIGHT TO SLAP THESE THINGS ON US!
KLNGL
THEY LOOK LIKE... **SHACKLES.**
UNDO THESE! NOW!
HUMPH

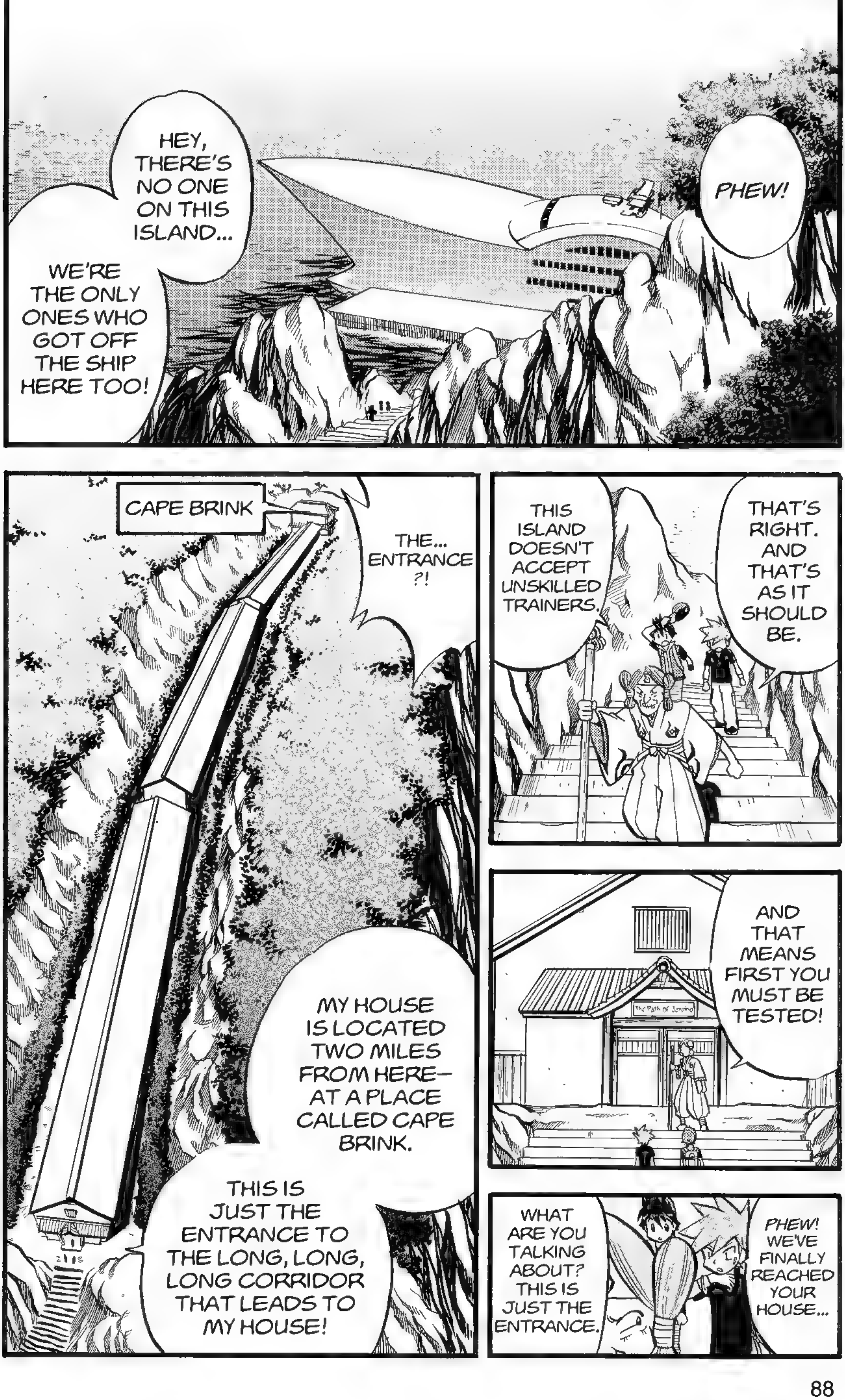

HUH ?
THAT DOES IT! LET'S GO, RED!
TUGTUG
AS LONG AS YOU WEAR THOSE BRACELETS ...
...YOU CAN'T MOVE MORE THAN 20 FEET AWAY FROM ME.
OLD LADY ...
RED ...
!
PLINK
HEY! NO FAIR!
THAT MOVE YOU SHOWED US JUST NOW WAS AMAZING...
IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE SOMEONE LIKE YOU IS THE GUARDIAN OF SUCH A SPECIAL POKÉMON MOVE, BUT...
...THAT WAS PRETTY CONVINCING.


WE NEED TO GET STRONGER!
MUCH, MUCH STRONGER!
TNK
FSS
WILL YOU TEACH US...
...THE SPECIAL MOVES YOU'VE BEEN GUARDING?!
WHY, CER-TAINLY.


RMM RMM RMM
THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING OUR SHIP FOR YOUR TRAVEL NEEDS.
NEXT STOP, TWO ISLAND.
WHAT'S UP WITH YOU, RED?
KLNK KLNK KLNK
HUH? WHAT?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
ZZZ ZZZ
ARE YOU SERIOUSLY THINKING OF LETTING THAT OLD LADY TRAIN YOU?
SURE I AM!
YOU SAW FOR YOURSELF HOW POWERFUL SHE IS, DIDN'T YOU?


SHE'S CLEARLY MORE POWER-FUL THAN US!
AND SHE SAID SHE'S WILLING TO TEACH US THE SPECIAL MOVES SHE'S BEEN GUARDING ALL THIS TIME.
THIS IS A GREAT OPPOR-TUNITY, RIGHT?
WELL... YOU HAVE A POINT. ..
THAT OLD LADY IS DEFINITELY STRONGER THAN US. AND THAT STORY ABOUT HOW SHE'S THE GUARDIAN OF THE SPECIAL POKÉMON MOVES IS PROB-ABLY NO LIE.
BUT... ...THAT'S ...
...EXACTLY WHY WE CAN'T TRUST HER!
WHAT IF THAT NOT-SO-INNOCENT-LOOKING OLD LADY TURNS OUT TO BE THE ENEMY?
WHAT IF SHE KNOWS ALL ABOUT THOSE POKÉMON WHO ATTACKED US? AND SHE TURNS OUT TO BE THE MASTERMIND BEHIND IT ALL?
AND WE'RE STUCK WITH HER...
...AND CAN'T GET AWAY!
HUH?!


WE ARE NOW ARRIVING AT TWO ISLAND.
YAWN
CALLING ALL PASSENGERS... THANK YOU FOR SAILING WITH US.
THE MASTER-MIND...?! YOU REALLY BELIEVE THAT, BLUE?
WELL... IT'S POSSIBLE ...
COME ON! PULL YOURSELF TOGETHER!
STRTCH
BAMP


HEY, THERE'S NO ONE ON THIS ISLAND...
WE'RE THE ONLY ONES WHO GOT OFF THE SHIP HERE TOO!
PHEW!
PHEW! WE'VE FINALLY REACHED YOUR HOUSE...
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? THIS IS JUST THE ENTRANCE.
THE... ENTRANCE ?!
THIS IS JUST THE ENTRANCE TO THE LONG, LONG, LONG CORRIDOR THAT LEADS TO MY HOUSE!
MY HOUSE IS LOCATED TWO MILES FROM HERE— AT A PLACE CALLED CAPE BRINK.
CAPE BRINK
THIS ISLAND DOESN'T ACCEPT UNSKILLED TRAINERS.
THAT'S RIGHT. AND THAT'S AS IT SHOULD BE.
AND THAT MEANS FIRST YOU MUST BE TESTED!


SLAM
The Jumping
GO ON THROUGH!
SQUEEEK
HOP TO IT! GET YOUR VENUSAUR AND CHARIZARD OUT!
THE FOUNDATION OF ALL MOVES IS STAMINA! ESPECIALLY THE STRENGTH OF YOUR LEGS AND CORE!
SMASH
SILLY CHILD! DID YOU THINK I WOULD REVEAL THEM TO YOU RIGHT AWAY?!
SO THIS IS WHERE YOU'RE GOING TO TEACH US THOSE SPECIAL MOVES?
DRAG
DRAG
WE'LL USE VENUSAUR'S VINE AND...
HERE! HOLD IT, CHARIZARD!


BY THE WAY, THE CORRIDOR WILL START TILTING BACKWARDS SOON!
SLIP
HOP OVER THE VINE LIKE A JUMP ROPE!
AND KEEP JUMPING!
YOU'D BETTER HURRY. I'LL KEEP WATCH FROM OUTSIDE.
JUMP
HFF
JUMP
JUMP
JUMP
SO THIS... IS WHAT... THAT SIGN... "THE JUMPING PATH"... MEANS.
JUMP
JUMP
IF WE FALL OVER, WE GET DRAGGED BACK TO THE BEGINNING AGAIN!
JUMP
JUMP
JUMP
JUMP


SO...UM... HOW LONG DO WE HAVE TO DO THIS FOR...?
UNTIL YOU'VE REACHED THE END OF THE CORRIDOR, OF COURSE!
BY THE WAY, THE TRAINING SESSIONS CHANGE EVERY HALF MILE OR SO.
JUMP
JUMP
TWENTY-TWO YEARS AGO, A TRAINER WHO TOOK ON THIS CHALLENGE SPENT EIGHT HOURS IN HERE. BUT HE GAVE UP THREE QUARTERS OF THE WAY THROUGH.
I HOPE YOU'LL BREAK THAT RECORD AT LEAST.
SHE'S A PHONY, RED, JUST LIKE I THOUGHT! HOW ARE WE GOING TO LEARN THOSE SPECIAL MOVES BY DOING THIS?!
I HAVE NO IDEA, BUT...
HFF.
CHARIZ-ARD, I'M HAVING TROUBLE JUMPING. SPIN IT AROUND FASTER.
SAUR, COULD YOU SLOW IT DOWN A LITTLE?!
...


WFF
WE DID IT!
JUMP
HFF
JUMP
HFF
HFF
JUMP
HFF
SAUR, FOLLOW CHARIZARD'S LEAD!
The Path of Catching
NOW FOR THE NEXT CORRIDOR!
HFF
HFF
HFF
WELL, WELL... NOT BAD.
PLUS...
YOU HAVE TO CATCH EVERY SINGLE BERRY THAT FALLS FROM THE CEILING!
RUN THROUGH THIS MOVING CORRIDOR. BUT IT'S GOING TO MOVE FASTER AS YOU DO!
ZIP
GET ON THE DODRIO I'VE LINED UP FOR YOU!


WSSSSSSH
BLUE ...
SNAG
PLONK
OH NO ...!
The Path of Battle
THIS TIME, IT'S THE "PATH OF BATTLE." WHO ARE WE FIGHTING...?
HFF
HFF
HFF
OKAY, THE LAST HALF NOW!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT, RED?
HFF
HFF


WHAT DO YOU MEAN ...?
!
YOUR OPPONENT STANDS BEFORE YOU.
DIDN'T I TELL YOU?
I WILL ONLY TEACH...
...THE SPECIAL MOVE TO ONE OF YOU.

Snor/Snorlax ♂

Normal

LV. 89 (As of Adventure 272)

Ability: Immunity

Impish Nature



Snor is a big eater and is usually sleeping, but in times of trouble, if it's awake, its heavy attacks can be a huge help.

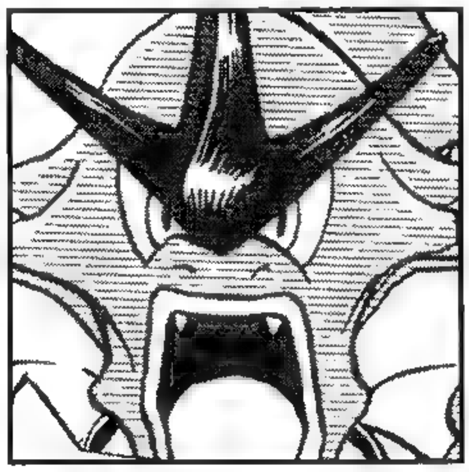
Gyara/Gyarados ♂

Water
Flying

LV. 84 (As of Adventure 272)

Ability: Intimidate

Lonely Nature



A Pokémon given to Red by Misty. Gyara is skilled at battles in watery areas and makes good use of many powerful water-type moves.

Aero/Aerodactyl ♂

Rock
Flying

LV. 85 (As of Adventure 272)

Ability: Rock Head

Hasty Nature



Aero was revived at Cinnabar Gym from the Old Ember given to Red by Giovanni. This Pokémon comes in handy when Red needs its flying ability.

● Adventure 273 ●
Red and Blue Make Purple Opponents




I WILL ONLY TEACH...
...THE SPECIAL MOVE TO ONE OF YOU.
NOW, GET INSIDE AND FIGHT!
SHOVE
YOU'LL BE FIGHTING A TWO-ON-TWO BATTLE.
YOU'LL EACH USE SIX POKÉ-MON—AND YOU MAY REPLACE THEM AT ANY TIME.
SLAM


!
ZLIP
THIS CORRIDOR MOVES TOO!
ZLIP
ZLIP

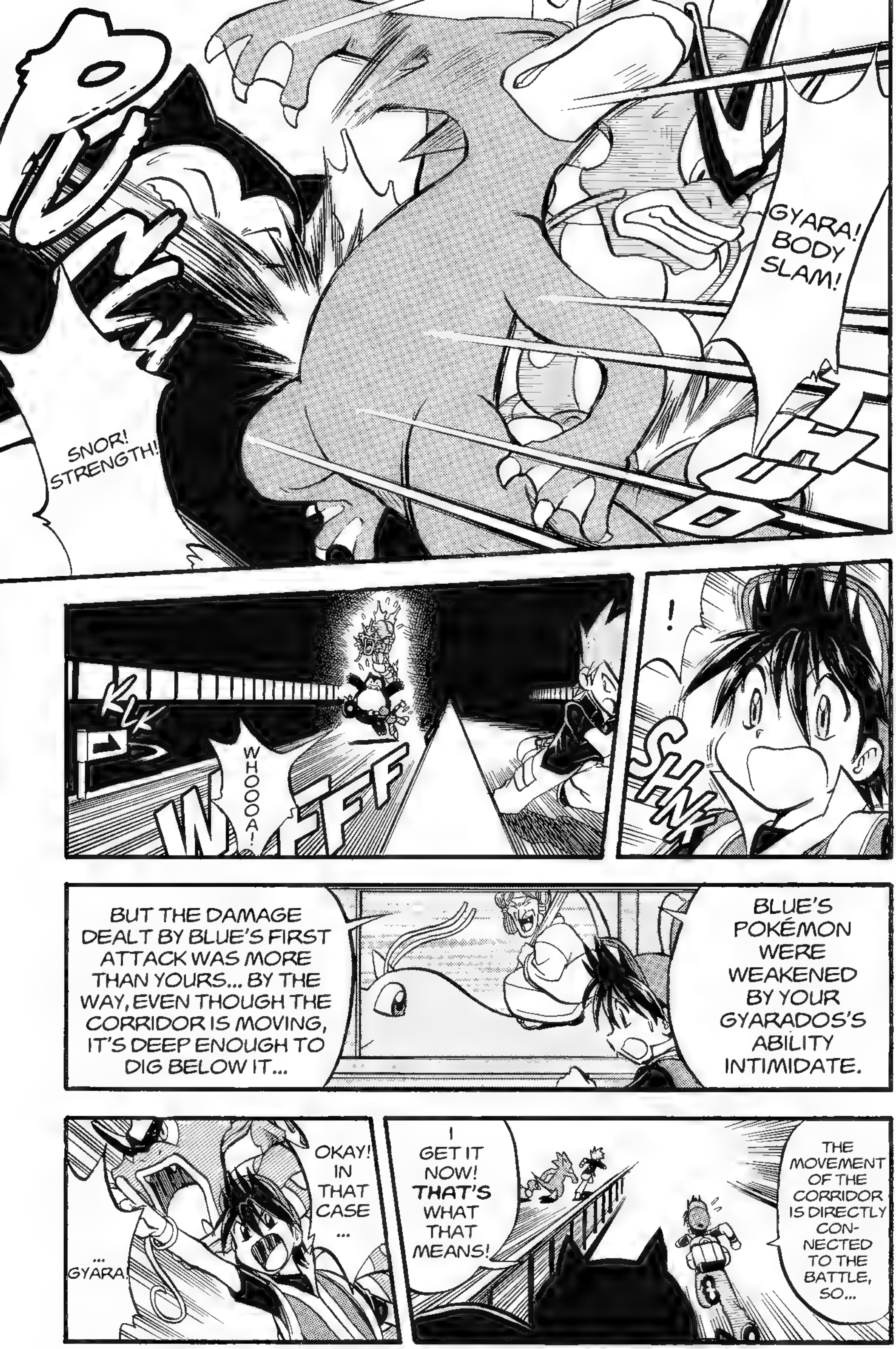

THE CORRIDOR AT THE PATH OF JUMPING MOVED BACKWARDS!
JUMP
THE SECOND CORRIDOR AT THE PATH OF CATCHING KEPT MOVING FASTER AND FASTER...
AND NOW IN THE PATH OF BATTLE...
...BOTH SIDES ARE MOVING INDEPENDENTLY!
THAT'S RIGHT! BUT THAT'S NOT ALL...
THE SPEED OF THE CORRIDOR CORRELATES WITH THE ATTACKS OF YOUR POKÉMON.
BAMPF
!
THE CORRIDOR OF THE TRAINER WHO IS ATTACKING WILL MOVE FORWARD FASTER...
WHILE THE CORRIDOR OF THE TRAINER WHO IS RECEIVING DAMAGE WILL SLOW DOWN...
THE TRAINER WHO REACHES THE END OF THE CORRIDOR FIRST WINS!


NOW!
FWSSSH
START YOUR BATTLE!



I NEVER THOUGHT I'D END UP FIGHTING YOU HERE, RED...
YEAH, BLUE... ME NEITHER.
YOU KNOW, IF WE THINK ABOUT IT LOGICALLY...
...THERE'S NO REASON FOR US TO TAKE THIS BATTLE SERIOUSLY.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
WELL, ONLY ONE OF US WILL GET TO LEARN THE SPECIAL MOVE IN THE END ANYWAY.
AND I DON'T CARE WHETHER IT'S YOU OR ME.
IF I LOSE ON PURPOSE, THE MOVE WILL BE YOURS...
AND IF **YOU** LOSE ON PURPOSE, THE MOVE WILL BE MINE... IT'S AS SIMPLE AS THAT.
YOU'RE RIGHT...
BUT... ARE YOU REALLY OKAY WITH THAT, BLUE?!
WE ONLY NEED THAT MOVE TO HELP US FACE THE ENEMY AND HELP GREEN—SO IT DOESN'T MATTER WHO GETS IT.
WELL...
Heh...


GOL-DUCK, IRON TAIL!
PORY-GON2, TRI ATTACK!
KRASH
IT WOULD BE EASIER THAT WAY, BUT...
...IF YOU'RE GOING TO BE MY OPPONENT, RED...
...I HAVE TO FIGHT YOU WITH EVERYTHING I'VE GOT!
HEH...
ME TOO!


GYARA! BODY SLAM!
THOOM
SNOR! STRENGTH!
!
SHNK
WHOOOA!
WHFF
KLK
BLUE'S POKÉMON WERE WEAKENED BY YOUR GYARADOS'S ABILITY INTIMIDATE.
BUT THE DAMAGE DEALT BY BLUE'S FIRST ATTACK WAS MORE THAN YOURS... BY THE WAY, EVEN THOUGH THE CORRIDOR IS MOVING, IT'S DEEP ENOUGH TO DIG BELOW IT...
THE MOVEMENT OF THE CORRIDOR IS DIRECTLY CON-NECTED TO THE BATTLE, SO...
I GET IT NOW! THAT'S WHAT THAT MEANS!
OKAY! IN THAT CASE ...
... GYARA!


HYPER BEAM!
URGH!
WE'RE SO FAR AWAY, BUT IT'S SUCH A POWERFUL MOVE!
GOLDUCK! HIDE FOR NOW!
DIG DIG DIG
DIG!
I'LL HAVE THE ADVANTAGE WITH MY NEXT ATTACK BECAUSE GOLDUCK WILL HAVE THE BENEFIT OF SURPRISE!
...!



RMBL
RRMMBL
SNOR!
EARTH-QUAKE!
RMBL
RM BL
AH, NUTS!
...IT'LL RECEIVE **TWICE** AS MUCH DAMAGE!
EARTH-QUAKE IS A MOVE THAT AFFECTS THE WHOLE AREA...
IT WILL INFLICT DAMAGE ON BOTH GOLDUCK AND PORYGON2.
THAT'S NOT ALL! GOLDUCK IS USING DIG, SO...
SH


GOLDUCK!
FWUMP
LOOKS LIKE RED HAS THE UPPER HAND WITH THAT ATTACK.
PLUS, RED'S GYARADOS ISN'T AFFECTED BY EARTHQUAKE BECAUSE IT'S A FLYING-TYPE.
SHNK
ONE DOWN!
WELL DONE, SNOR, GYARA!
TINGLE TINGLE
GYARA ?!
IT'S PARALYZED! THE TRI ATTACK IT RECEIVED AT THE BEGINNING MUST HAVE TAKEN EFFECT!
OH NO!


THIS SURE BRINGS BACK MEMORIES, RED...
...OF THAT TIME BACK IN THE POKÉMON LEAGUE WHEN WE FOUGHT EACH OTHER ...
WHAT A THRILL!

Adventure 274
Double Dealing with Deoxys

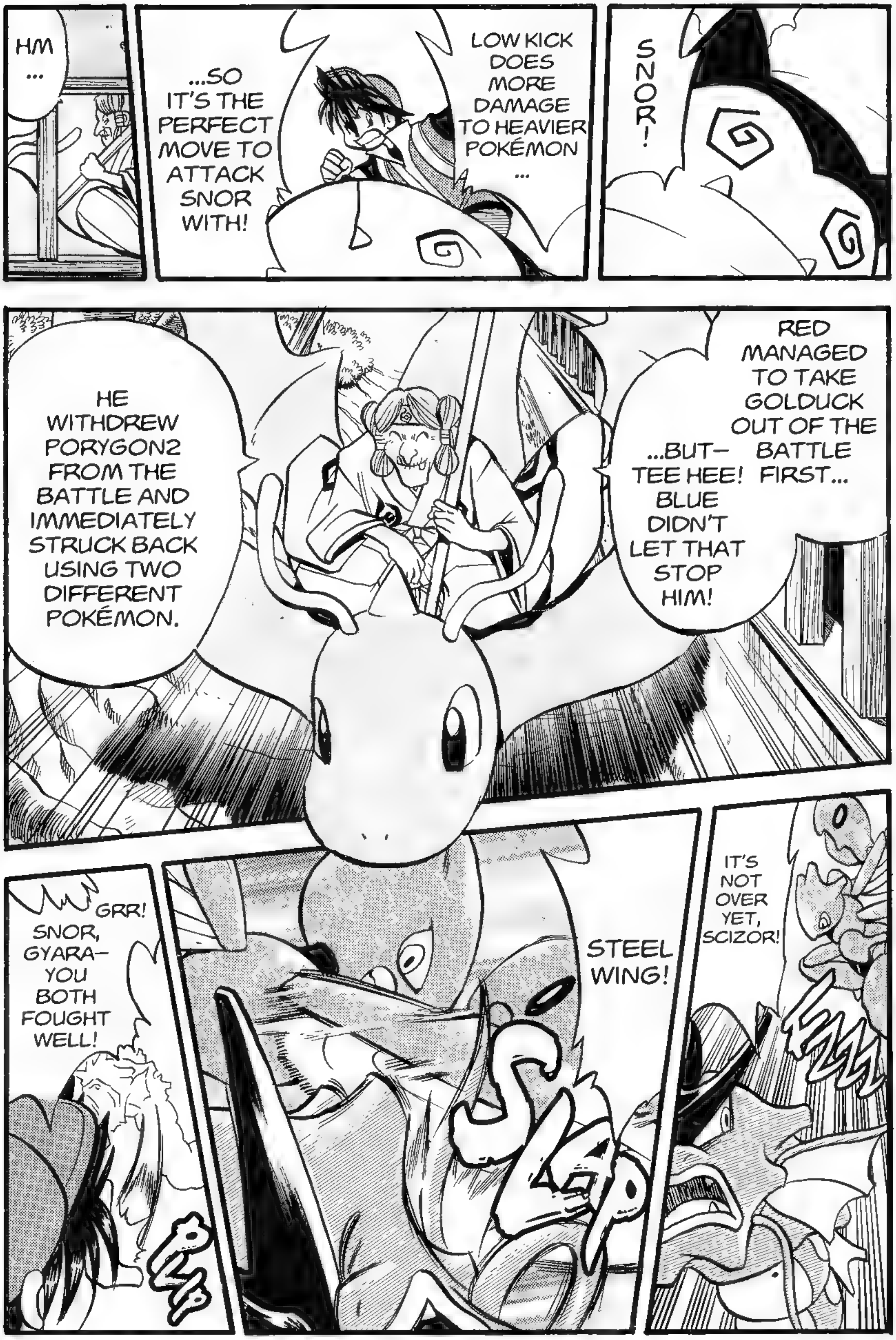





FOOOO
SEIS-
MIC
TOSS!
KA
THUD


AND THE SPEED OF SCIZOR DIVING DOWN TO THE FLOOR ADDED TO THE POWER OF THE TOSS!
THOSE FOUR ARMS GOT THE BETTER OF ME AGAIN!
MACHAMP! GO FOR THE FINISH!
SWISH


LOW KICK!


HM ...
LOW KICK DOES MORE DAMAGE TO HEAVIER POKÉMON ...
...SO IT'S THE PERFECT MOVE TO ATTACK SNOR WITH!
SNOR!
RED MANAGED TO TAKE GOLDUCK OUT OF THE BATTLE FIRST...
...BUT— TEE HEE! BLUE DIDN'T LET THAT STOP HIM!
HE WITHDREW PORYGON2 FROM THE BATTLE AND IMMEDIATELY STRUCK BACK USING TWO DIFFERENT POKÉMON.
IT'S NOT OVER YET, SCIZOR!
STEEL WING!
SLAP
GRR! SNOR, GYARA— YOU BOTH FOUGHT WELL!
PLIP



AERO! PIKA!
IT'LL BE AN AERIAL BATTLE! GO!
AERO'S ABILITY IS ROCK HEAD!
IT WON'T RECEIVE ANY RECOIL DAMAGE, NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES IT USES TAKE DOWN! IT CAN JUST KEEP ON ATTACKING!
TNK
TNK
TNK



BLUE HAS CAUGHT UP WITH HIM! WHAT NOW?
DRAGON CLAW!
CR
USH
COME BACK, SCIZOR!
ZLOOP
THIS IS OUR CHANCE, PIKA!
KRKL
KR KL
!
BEND


!
GRIN
WHY IS THE LIGHTNING DOING THAT?!
ZZZOP ZZZOP
RHYDOON!
ITS ABILITY IS LIGHTNING-ROD...
EXACTLY. IT ATTRACTS ELECTRIC-TYPE ATTACKS TO IT...
...MAKING IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR PIKA TO ATTACK MY MACHAMP WITH LIGHTNING NOW.
RED... WE'VE GIVEN THIS BATTLE EVERYTHING WE'VE GOT... AND WE HAVE THE SAME NUMBER OF POKÉMON LEFT.
BUT... THE NUMBER OF POKÉMON ISN'T IMPORTANT. IT'S WHO REACHES THE END OF THIS CORRIDOR FIRST!


I'LL FIGHT TILL THE BITTER END...!
NO! IT'S NOT OVER YET!
AND I'M GOING TO WIN!
THE GOAL IS RIGHT IN FRONT OF US!
PIKA!
BOING
IRON TAIL!
IF I CAN'T ATTACK YOU WITH PIKA'S LIGHTNING...
KICK
...THEN I'LL JUST HAVE TO ATTACK YOU DIRECTLY!
TING
TING



FWASMASH
ZIP
TCH!
STEP


HFF.
HFF.
GASP.
HFF.
HFF.
GASP.
GASP.
WHICH OF US... MADE IT... FIRST? YOU...OR ME?
HFF
HFF
HFF
DUNNO... IT LOOKED LIKE...WE BOTH GOT HERE...AT THE SAME TIME.
HEY, GRANDMA!
WHICH OF US WON?!
MMM
?!
SQUEAK
GRAND-MA...?!


AHH
THAT SHADOW ...!
SWISH
IT'S THE SAME AS...!


THIS IS NO TIME TO COMPLAIN! WE HAVE TO DO SOME-THING OR IT'LL GET US TOO!
WHY DOES IT HAVE TO ATTACK US WHEN WE'RE DEAD TIRED ...?
NO!
ARGH!
YOINK
SHING
THERE'S SOME KIND OF... ENGRAV-ING ON MINE!
THE BRACELETS THAT OLD LADY ATTACHED TO OUR WRISTS ARE **SHINING...**
BLAST... BURN...
FRENZY PLANT...


WHAT ARE YOU BAB-BLING ABOUT NOW, GRAND-MA?!
BLUE, LOOK!
SAUR AND CHARIZARD ARE REACTING TO WHAT SHE'S SAYING! MAYBE...
THAT SPECIAL MOVE SHE WAS TALKING ABOUT ...
IT CAN'T BE ...!
THERE'S NO OTHER CHOICE!
IT'S ALL OR NOTHING!
BLAST BURN!
FRENZY PLANT!

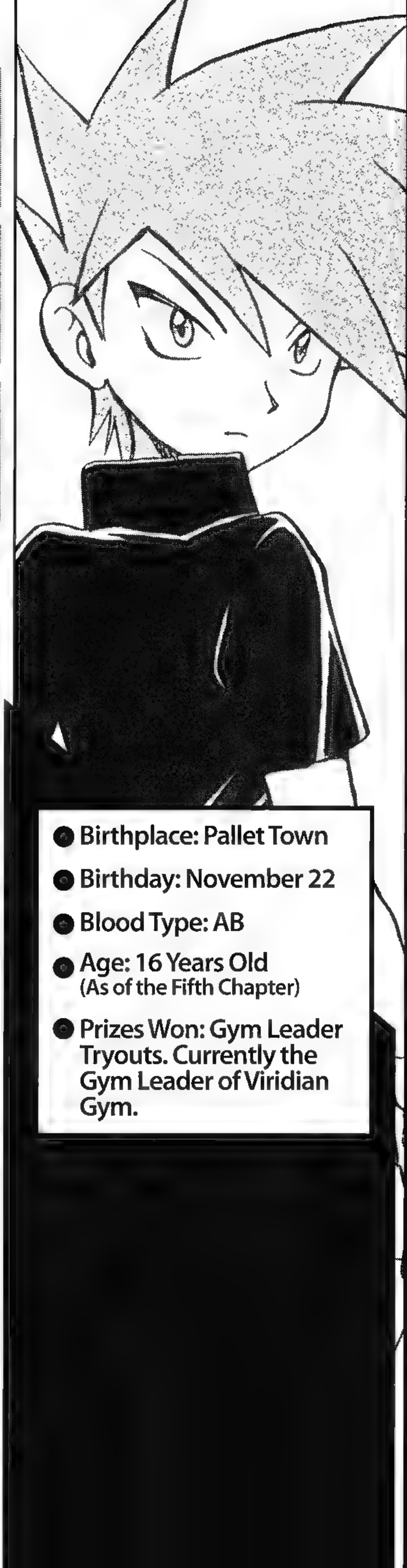
Character Profile

BLUE

BLUE IS RED'S RIVAL AND BEST FRIEND, AS WELL AS THE RUNNER UP OF THE NINTH POKÉMON LEAGUE AND A SKILLED TRAINER. THE GREAT POKÉMON RESEARCHER PROFESSOR OAK IS BLUE'S GRANDFATHER, AND DAISY OAK IS HIS OLDER SISTER. BLUE IS USUALLY CALM AND COMPOSED, AND IS EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD AT FIGURING OUT HIS OPPONENT'S STRATEGY IN BATTLE. HE IS CURRENTLY INVESTIGATING THE MYSTERY AT THE SEVII ISLANDS WITH RED.



BLUE



- Birthplace: Pallet Town
- Birthday: November 22
- Blood Type: AB
- Age: 16 Years Old (As of the Fifth Chapter)
- Prizes Won: Gym Leader Tryouts. Currently the Gym Leader of Viridian Gym.

• Adventure 275 •
A Vicious Cycle of Possibilities



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MEANWHILE, AS RED AND BLUE ARE TRAINING WITH ULTIMA...
THREE ISLAND ...
VROOM VROOM
HEH HEH HEH! SO THIS IS THREE ISLAND!
LOOKS LIKE A GREAT PLACE TO TEAR APART!
THERE'S A FOREST SOME-WHERE 'ROUND HERE CALLED BERRY FOREST ...
BECAUSE THIS ISLAND LOOKS LIKE THE PARENT AND THAT SMALL ISLAND CONNECTED BY BOND BRIDGE LOOKS LIKE ITS CHILD!
IT'S ALSO KNOWN AS KIN ISLAND.
KIN ISLAND? HOW COME?


YEAH!
SOUNDS LIKE THE PERFECT PLACE FOR US. THOSE BERRIES ARE **ALL OURS.**
AND AFTER WE EAT 'EM ALL UP, WE'LL BURN THIS ISLAND TO THE GROUND!
SKREECH
COME BACK HERE ...!
AIIEE!
GOTCHA!
LOOK WHERE YOU'RE GOING, BRAT!
EEK...
WHAT THE—?!


SWISH
WAHHH! I'M SORRY!
SHUT UP! QUITCHER CRYING!
SHWIPP
YOU'RE IN OUR WAY!


HUH ?


ONE ISLAND...
POKÉMON NETWORK CENTER...
PHEW...
I SURE HOPE RED AND BLUE ARE ALL RIGHT...
THEY WENT OFF WITH THAT OLD LADY...
...AND I HAVEN'T THE FOGGIEST HOW THEY'RE HOLDIN' UP.
BUT I DON'T HAVE TIME TO BOTHER 'BOUT THEM.
I'VE GOTTA TAKE ALL THIS EQUIPMENT DOWN AND FIX THE POKÉMON TRANSPORTER.
OH!
GREEN...
SHE... SHE STILL HASN'T COME TO...



WE NEED TO GO.
TAKE CARE OF GREEN FOR US, WOULD YOU PLEASE, BILL...?
OF COURSE. I'LL KEEP AN EYE ON HER, F'SURE.
THANK YOU.
HEY! HOLD ON A SEC, RED!
THERE'S SOME-THIN' I'VE BEEN MEANIN' TO ASK YA!
ON THE *SEAGALLOP*, YA TOLD ME...
...YA CAME HERE 'CAUSE PROFESSOR OAK ASKED YA TO.
THAT'S RIGHT. WE FOUND A FAME CHECKER WITH A RECORDING OF PROFESSOR OAK ON IT...AND AN ENVELOPE WITH A TRI-PASS FOR THE *SEAGALLOP* INSIDE.
THERE WERE THREE SETS OF 'EM, RIGHT?
FOR RED, BLUE AND GREEN.
NOD
THAT DOESN'T MAKE ANY SENSE, DOES IT?


SEEMS LIKE SHE MET UP WITH PROFES- SOR OAK BEFORE Y'ALL.
GREEN HAD HER TRI-PASS WITH HER.
TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH, I WAS WON- DERING THE SAME THING.
...
AND WHAT KIND OF MESSAGE WAS RECORDED ON HER FAME CHECKER?
SO WHAT D'YOU FIGGER WAS INSIDE THE ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO GREEN ...?!
BUT...
WELL, THE ANSWER IS INSIDE GREEN'S ENVELOPE AND FAME CHECKER...
IT'S ADDRESSED TO HER FROM PROFESSOR OAK...
SHE SHOULD BE THE ONE TO OPEN IT.



SO I LEFT IT NEXT TO GREEN'S BED.
To GREEN
I'M READY! COME DOWN TO THE NETWORK MACHINE QUICK!
RIGHT! SORRY, GOTTA RUN!
MMM
BILL!
THE WHOLE SYSTEM SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN TAKEN OVER BY SOME SORT OF POWERFUL EXTERNAL FORCE...
YOU'RE RIGHT. WHAT THE HECK IS GOIN' ON? ARGH! I CAN'T MAKE ANY SENSE OF IT!
Think, think...
URRRGH...


HELP ME...
STOP!
TOSS
SNIFF! URK...
KRNCH
HEY! HEY! YOU G-G-GOTTA HELP ME!
FOOSH
HFF.
HFF.
HFF.


...
S-S-SOME MYSTE-RIOUS FORCE... ATTACKED US OUT OF THE B-B-BLUE...
...AND IT'S BEATIN' UP ALL MY P-P-PALS!
FWIP
SMAK
NNGH!
WHAT'D YOU DO THAT FOR?!
WHOSE SIDE ARE YOU ON, ANYWAY?!
BOOM
BOOM
BOOM



ROCK TOMB!
PATHETIC.
YOU CLAIM TO BE EVIL— SO WHY NOT GO ALL THE WAY WITH IT?
THERE IS NOTHING SO DIS- GRACEFUL AS DOING SOME- THING HALF- BAKED!
ALSO ...


...THAT FORCE IS NO MYSTERY ...
...IT'S A POKÉMON!
ONE WHO HAS FLOWN DOWN FROM SPACE TO US!
ONE WITH AN INVINCIBLE PRESENCE SURPASSING ANY POKÉMON FROM OUR TERRESTRIAL WORLD!
AND ITS NAME IS... DEOXYS!

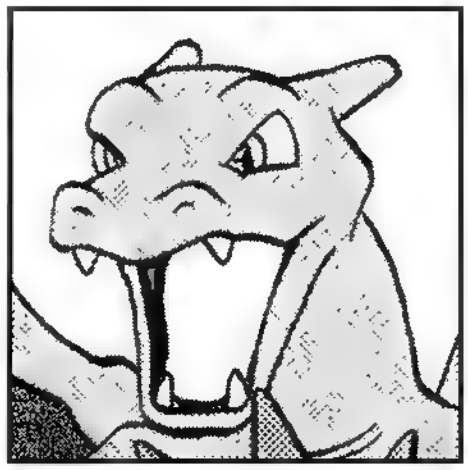
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Charizard/Charizard ♂

Fire
Flying

- **LV. 89** (As of Adventure 275)
- **Ability: Blaze**
- **Bold Nature**

Charizard is Blue's closest partner. Professor Oak gave Charizard to Blue when it was still a Charmander.



Golduck/Golduck ♂

Water

- **LV. 88** (As of Adventure 275)
- **Ability: Cloud Nine**
- **Serious Nature**

Golduck can read the minds of people and Pokémon with its powerful psychic powers, as well as discover hidden enemies.

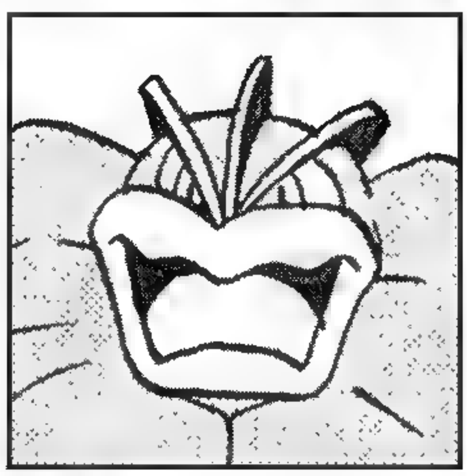


Machamp/Machamp ♂

Fighting

- **LV. 80** (As of Adventure 275)
- **Ability: Guts**
- **Bashful Nature**

By coincidence, Machoke evolved into Machamp when Blue traded it to Red. It is extremely powerful and can toss any opponent far into the air.



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My, My, My Mimic



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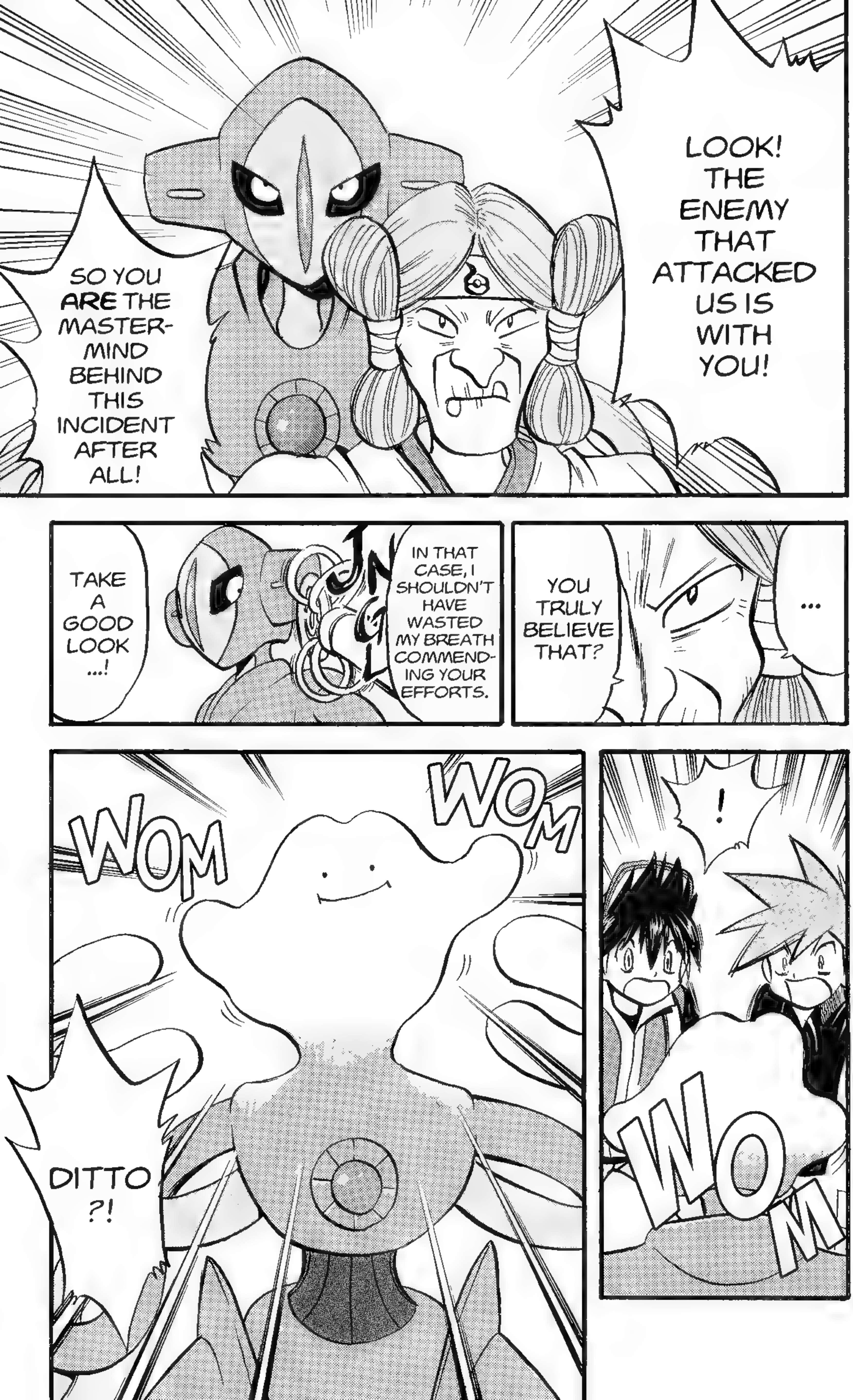

BLAST BURN!
FRENZY PLANT!
STGGR
ZLIP
SO THIS IS THE SPECIAL MOVE THAT OLD LADY WAS TALKING ABOUT!
WE DID IT!


KRCKL
KRASH
!


TMP
TMP
HMPH! IT COULD TELL WHERE WE WERE GOING TO ATTACK SO IT DODGED!
LET'S ATTACK IT AGAIN!
!
THEY CAN'T MOVE BECAUSE OF THE IMPACT OF THE BACKLASH OF OUR ATTACK...
DOES THAT MEAN WE CAN'T USE THAT MOVE TWICE IN A ROW?
RED ...
IT DIDN'T ACTUALLY DODGE OUR ATTACK... WE **MISSED.**
STEP
WE USED OUR NEW MOVE WITHOUT ANY KNOWLEDGE OF ITS POWER, ACCURACY, OR THE IMPACT IT WOULD HAVE ON OUR OWN POKÉMON...
WE DIDN'T STRAT-EGIZE WELL.
!
STEP
WE DON'T KNOW HOW TO HANDLE THAT MOVE.
NOT EXACTLY ...



THAT WAS PRETTY IMPRESSIVE FOR FIRST-TIMERS LIKE YOURSELVES—DRAWING OUT THE MOVE'S POWER AS FAR AS YOU DID. WELL DONE.
YOU JUST NEED MORE EXPERIENCE BEFORE YOU CAN ACTUALLY STRIKE YOUR OPPONENT WITH IT.
MOST OF ALL...
...I WAS IMPRESSED THAT YOU MANAGED TO USE THE MOVE AT ALL ON YOUR OWN.
GRIN
GOOD WORK!
!
WHAT ARE YOU UP TO NOW, GRANDMA?!
ARE YOU TRYING TO TRICK US AND LIE TO US?!
TRICK YOU...? LIE TO YOU...? HOW RUDE!
I'VE TOLD YOU NO FALSE-HOODS!
YOU EXPECT US TO BELIEVE THAT?!


LOOK! THE ENEMY THAT ATTACKED US IS WITH YOU!
SO YOU **ARE** THE MASTER-MIND BEHIND THIS INCIDENT AFTER ALL!
...
YOU TRULY BELIEVE THAT?
IN THAT CASE, I SHOULDN'T HAVE WASTED MY BREATH COMMEND-ING YOUR EFFORTS.
JNGL
TAKE A GOOD LOOK ...!
!
WOM
WOM
WOM
DITTO ?!


ARE YOU... GREEN'S DITTO?!
IT FOLLOWED YOU FROM ONE ISLAND, RED, BY CLINGING TO THE TOP OF YOUR BACKPACK.
WE BECAME FRIENDS WHILE YOU WERE TRAINING.
WE WERE ONLY PLAYING TOGETHER. YOU MISTOOK OUR GAME FOR AN ATTACK ON ME.
...
AND BY THE WAY...
I WASN'T LYING WHEN I SAID I WOULD ONLY TEACH MY SPECIAL MOVE TO ONE OF YOU.
BUT YOU TWO HAVE EXACTLY THE SAME STRENGTH AND YOU WERE TIED AT THE FINISH LINE...
...SO I DECIDED TO TEACH THE MOVE TO BOTH OF YOU AFTER ALL.


HOWEVER, YOU SUCCEEDED IN DRAWING OUT THE SPECIAL MOVE SEALED INSIDE THOSE BRACELETS ALL BY YOURSELVES.
YOU FIGURED OUT HOW TO USE THE MOVE BEFORE I TAUGHT IT TO YOU...SO I SUPPOSE I CAN'T COMPLAIN ABOUT YOU USING IT ON ME!
SNAP
IT'S UP TO YOU TO PRACTICE UNTIL YOU CAN HIT YOUR TARGET PROPERLY.
ULTIMA, WE OWE YOU AN—
AND ONE MORE THING!


IT USED TRANSFORM TO SHOW ME WHAT HAPPENED ON THE SEAGALLOP.
THIS ENEMY OF YOURS MUST BE VERY POWERFUL.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON, BUT THAT DITTO SEEMED PRETTY DESPERATE.
IF YOU'RE GOING TO FACE IT WITH THE SPECIAL MOVE I'VE BEEN GUARDING ALL THIS TIME...
...WELL, THAT WOULD MAKE ME PROUD! HEH HEH...
...
GOOD LUCK!
OH...


BOW
THANK YOU VERY MUCH!
WE GRATEFULLY ACCEPT YOUR SPECIAL MOVE!
PHEW ...
THOSE MOVES WERE EXTREMELY POWERFUL.
BUT LIKE SHE SAID, THEY WON'T BE ANY USE IN AN ACTUAL BATTLE UNTIL WE IMPROVE OUR ACCURACY.
WE DON'T HAVE OUR POKÉDEXES ANY MORE TO GIVE US DATA ABOUT THE MOVES, SO WE'LL JUST HAVE TO LEARN THROUGH PRACTICE.
YEAH, WE NEED TO PRACTICE... A **LOT**.


DITTO, YOU FOLLOWED US ALL THE WAY HERE...
YOU MUST WANT TO HELP GREEN TOO.
THERE'S SOME-THING I WANT TO ASK YOU THAT MIGHT HELP US HELP HER...
LIFT
I WANT YOU TO USE TRANSFORM AGAIN, OKAY?
WHAT ARE YOU UP TO, BLUE...?
RED, DIDN'T IT SEEM KIND OF WEIRD TO YOU...?
WOM
WOM
WHAT?
THE ENEMY'S SHAPE.
THINK ABOUT IT... WE LEARNED WHAT THE ENEMY LOOKED LIKE FROM THE IMAGE RECORDED ON GREEN'S SILPH SCOPE.
!
BUT SOME-THING DOESN'T MAKE SENSE...
THE IMAGE WE SAW... AND THE SHAPE DITTO TRANS-FORMED INTO...



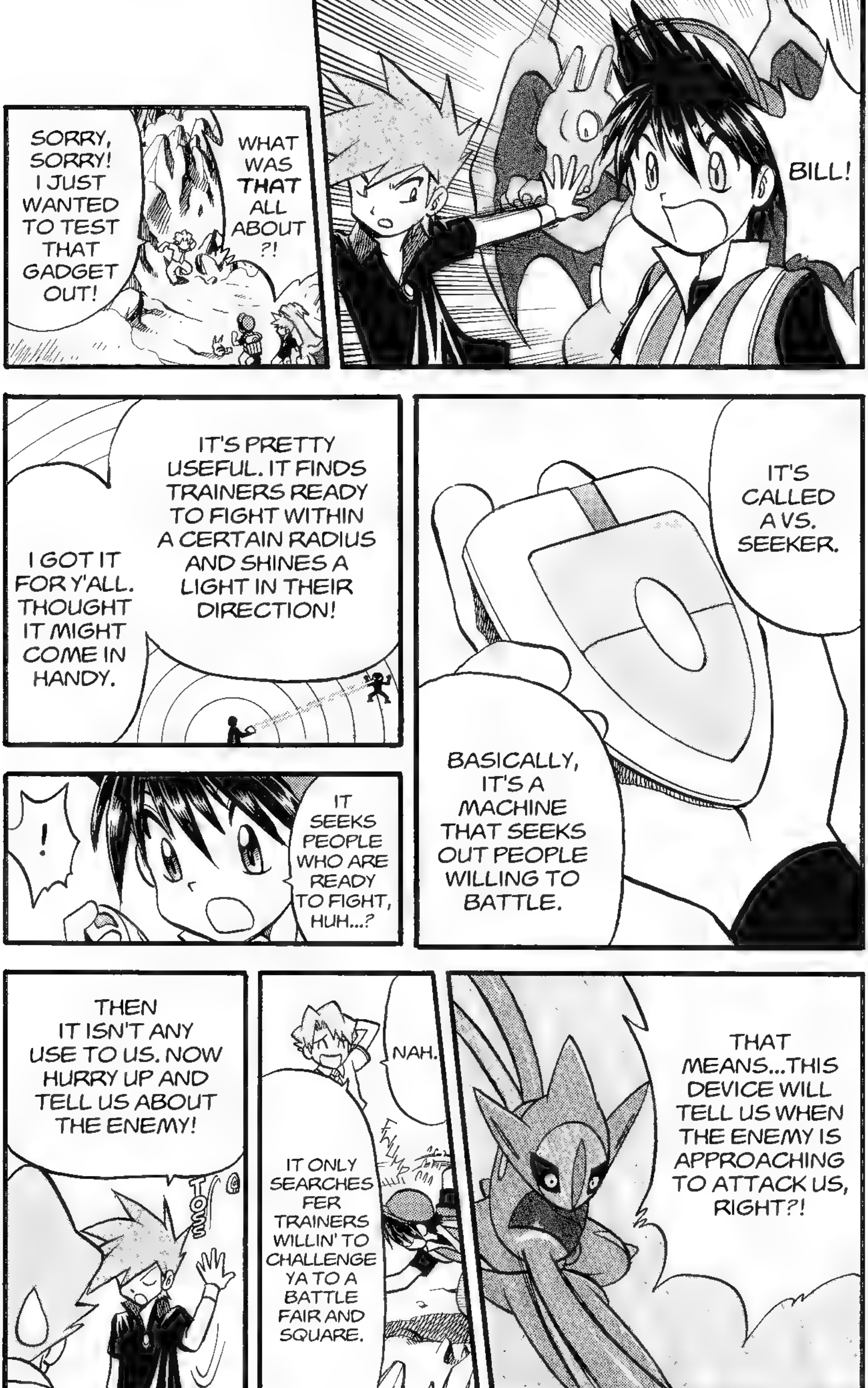
THEY'RE SIMILAR, BUT... THERE ARE A BUNCH OF DIFFERENCES.
COME TO THINK OF IT... YOU'RE RIGHT!
BUT WHAT DOES IT MEAN ...?
IS THERE MORE THAN ONE ENEMY? OR DID IT EVOLVE?
GULP
OR... MAYBE THIS POKÉMON CHANGES FORMES DEPENDING ON THE SITUATION AND BATTLE-STYLE...
THIS INFORMATION COULD MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN VICTORY AND DEFEAT!
WOM
WOM
IF WE CAN'T FIND THE ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION, WE'LL PROBABLY...
...LOSE.


RING RING
HELLO.
HULLO! IT'S ME!
BILL!
HOW'D YER TRAININ' GO?
OH, WE SUC-CEEDED.
THAT'S GREAT TO HEAH!
I'VE GOT SOME-THIN' TO TELL Y'ALL TOO...
COME ON BY THE POKÉ-MON CENTER.
I'VE SENT TWO NEW PASSES FOR Y'ALL.
THEY SHOULD BE THERE BY NOW.
I WANT YA TO USE 'EM TO...
...TRAVEL TO FOUR ISLAND RIGHT AWAY.
Rainbow Pass


IT'S AP-PEARED HERE NOW!
WHAT DO YA THINK?!
WAIT... WHAT'S SO IMPOR-TANT THAT YOU HAVE TO TALK TO US ABOUT IT RIGHT AWAY?!
IT'S URGENT!
SHAKE A LEG!
THE ENEMY THAT ATTACKED Y'ALL, BLUE, AND GREEN!
IT'S COME TA THREE ISLAND!
I'VE SENT TWO OF 'EM TO THE POKÉMON CENTER ON TWO ISLAND. COME DOWN HEAH AS SOON AS YOU PICK 'EM UP!
YOU CAN'T GET TA FOUR ISLAND AND BEYOND WITH THE TRI-PASS YOU'VE GOT. YOU NEED THE RAINBOW PASS FER THAT.


I'LL BE WAITIN' FOR YOU AT ICEFALL CAVE ON FOUR ISLAND.
THE ICE-TYPE POKÉMON WHO LIVE DOWN HERE MUST LOWER THE TEMPERA-TURE.
YOU'RE RIGHT ...
WHOA! IT'S COLD HERE!
THIS IS THE CAVE BILL WAS TALKING ABOUT, RIGHT?
THE TEMPERATURE DOESN'T FLUCTUATE MUCH UNDER-GROUND, BUT STILL... IT'S MUCH WARMER OUTSIDE ON ONE ISLAND AND TWO ISLAND.
HUH ?
TING
TING
!
WNNNNN
WHAT'S THIS?


GRR
LUNGE
IS THAT EXEG-GUTOR ATTACKING US?!
GREAT!
THIS IS A PERFECT OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO PRACTICE!
CHARIZARD!
BOOM
WHOA! HOLD IT, HOLD IT, HOLD IT!
JUMP
RMBL
BLAST BURN!


BILL!
WHAT WAS THAT ALL ABOUT?!
SORRY, SORRY! I JUST WANTED TO TEST THAT GADGET OUT!
IT'S CALLED A VS. SEEKER.
BASICALLY, IT'S A MACHINE THAT SEEKS OUT PEOPLE WILLING TO BATTLE.
IT'S PRETTY USEFUL. IT FINDS TRAINERS READY TO FIGHT WITHIN A CERTAIN RADIUS AND SHINES A LIGHT IN THEIR DIRECTION!
I GOT IT FOR Y'ALL. THOUGHT IT MIGHT COME IN HANDY.
!
IT SEEKS PEOPLE WHO ARE READY TO FIGHT, HUH...?
THAT MEANS...THIS DEVICE WILL TELL US WHEN THE ENEMY IS APPROACHING TO ATTACK US, RIGHT?!
NAH.
IT ONLY SEARCHES FER TRAINERS WILLIN' TO CHALLENGE YA TO A BATTLE FAIR AND SQUARE.
THEN IT ISN'T ANY USE TO US. NOW HURRY UP AND TELL US ABOUT THE ENEMY!
TOSS


I'LL CUT TO THE CHASE!
I THOUGHT YOU'D ASK THAT...
BUT YOU'LL FIGURE IT OUT ON YOUR OWN RIGHT QUICK.
GULP
A LITTLE LOCAL GIRL NAMED LOSTELLE...
...CALLED TO TELL ME THAT SHE SAW THE ENEMY ON THREE ISLAND.
LOSTELLE WAS BEING PICKED ON BY A BUNCH OF BIKERS WHO WERE TEARIN' UP THE ISLAND...
...BUT SOMETHIN' APPEARED OUT OF THE BLUE AND BEAT 'EM ALL UP.
AND THAT SOME-THIN' HAP-PENED TO BE... THE ENEMY!
WHAT?!
IT **HELPED** A LITTLE GIRL?!
WELL, I DON'T KNOW IF IT WAS HELPIN' HER OR JUST WANTED TA PICK A FIGHT.
BUT THE POINT OF THIS STORY COMES **AFTER** THAT!


HERE'S ...
RSTL
UM... HE LOOKED ABOUT THE SAME AGE AS MY DAD. I DREW A PICTURE OF HIM. I'LL FAX IT TO YOU...
ACCORDING TO LOSTELLE, THE ENEMY TOOK OFF AND THEN... A MAN SHOWED UP.
TA DA
...THE FAX!
!
...THOSE CLOTHES ...
AND ...
THE MARK ON THE CHEST!


IT'S GIOVANNI!
I THOUGHT TEAM ROCKET WAS DISBANDED... AND TO TOP IT OFF, THIS IS THEIR BOSS!
I COULDN'T BELIEVE MAH EYES EITHER!
WE'LL HAVE TO FACE HIM—AND FIGHT HIM—AGAIN!
GIOVANNI ...
I DON'T KNOW IF YOUR ENEMY IS GIOVANNI'S POKÉMON ...
...OR JUST A WILD POKÉMON HE WAS GOIN' AFTER TO CAPTURE.
THE CON-NECTION BETWEEN 'EM IS STILL A DOWN-RIGHT MYSTERY.
BUT AS LONG AS TEAM ROCKET'S INVOLVED ...
RIGHT ...


SEE? NOW DO YA UNNERSTAND WHY YOU NEED THE VS. SEEKER?
PERFECT. WE CAN FIND OUT MORE ABOUT THE ENEMY BY FINDING TEAM ROCKET THEN.
I HAD YA MEET ME AT ICEFALL CAVE...
...'CAUSE THERE'S A RUMOR GOIN' 'ROUND THAT SOME PEOPLE WHO'RE THE SPITTIN' IMAGE OF TEAM ROCKET HAVE BEEN GOIN' IN AND OUT OF THIS CAVE.
TING
UP TILL NOW, ALL WE COULD DO WAS WAIT FOR SOMETHING TO HAPPEN... BUT NOW WE HAVE SOME-BODY TO GO AFTER!
SNAP
LET'S FIND PEOPLE WILLING TO FIGHT US!
SHING
THAT WAY!
FWIP
FWIP


LUNGE
IT DOESN'T WANT US TO GO ANY DEEPER INTO THE CAVE.
THEY'VE CLEARLY RECEIVED ORDERS FROM SOME TRAINER.
TEAM ROCKET MUST BE IN HERE SOME-WHERE.
OKAY, SAUR ...
!
FWOO OSH
KRIK
KRIK
KRIK
KRIK


TMP
IF YOU'RE GOING TO FIGHT TEAM ROCKET ...
...I WANT TO BE IN ON IT TOO!
TMP
HEY, BOYS ...
ICE ...!
I'M JUST AS MAD AT THEM AS YOU ARE...
...FOR TEARING UP MY HOMETOWN!

Scizor/Scizor ♂

Bug
Steel



LV. 82 (As of Adventure 276)

Ability: Swarm

Docile Nature

Chuck taught Blue to use his heart to read the moves of an invisible opponent. Scizor is best at putting that skill to good use.

Rhydon/Rhydon ♂

Ground
Rock



LV. 82 (As of Adventure 276)

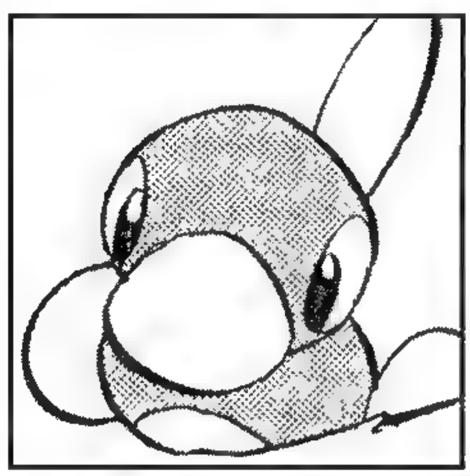
Ability: Lightningrod

Mild Nature

Rhydon is a Pokémon Blue trained recently who became very powerful after Blue discovered the *Secrets of the Land* at Viridian Gym.

Porygon2/Porygon2

Normal



LV. 78 (As of Adventure 276)

Ability: Trace

Quirky Nature

Blue added Porygon2 to his team after winning it at the Celadon Game Corner in Celadon City. It can be very useful in certain situations.

● Adventure 277 ●
A Beastly Cold Reception




YOU'RE ...
...ONE OF THE KANTO ELITE FOUR!
LORELEI!!
YOU WENT MISSING AFTER THE FINAL BATTLE AT CERISE ISLAND.
WHAT ARE **YOU** DOING HERE?!
I TOLD YOU...
FOUR ISLAND IS MY HOME-TOWN.
IT'S A BEAUTIFUL ISLAND FULL OF NATURAL WONDERS FAR FROM THE URBAN, CROWDED MAINLAND...
FLIP
BUT ...
THERE ARE THOSE WHO ARE TRYING TO TEAR APART MY HOME.
CREAK
THAT'S WHAT I WAS TOLD...
SMASH


KLANG
SNAP
SO I'M BACK!
CLOY-STER, SPIKE CANNON!
I NEVER EXPECTED TO SEE YOU HERE, THOUGH.


ZOOPAH
IT DOESN'T REALLY MATTER WHO I'M FIGHTING, BUT I AM CURIOUS ABOUT ONE THING...
SHE'S STRONG ...!
CHONK
I OVER-HEARD YOU TALKING ABOUT IT...
ARE YOU CER-TAIN?
SMASH
IS TEAM ROCKET REALLY INSIDE ICEFALL CAVE?
HEH... YOU DON'T WANT TO DISCUSS THIS WITH ME, DO YOU?
...
NO NEED. THE KIDS GOT IT RIGHT.
I'LL JUST CHECK FOR MYSELF IF TEAM ROCKET WAS BEHIND THIS ATTACK...
THAT'S UNDER-STAND-ABLE.
!
?!


AAH!
SMASH
WHERE ARE YOU?!
WE'RE THE ONES WHO ORDERED THOSE POKÉMON TO ATTACK YOU...
AND WE ARE...TEAM ROCKET!


UT
URGH...
SHH
CHKK
SQQ
THMP
ARGH!
KLANG
SIGH... THESE POKÉMON WERE SO WEAK I CAPTURED THEM EASILY. THEY'RE BASICALLY USELESS.
KICK
THIS IS WHAT YOU GET FOR...
... WASTING MY TIME AND ENERGY!
KWASMAK
I ONLY USE POKÉMON WHO ARE USEFUL.
AIN'T THAT RIGHT, FORRE-TRESS?


WE'VE CAPTURED RED AND BLUE OF PALLET TOWN.
BUT THINGS ARE GOING AS PLANNED.
RED!
BLUE!
TWIST
FRENZY PLANT!
BLAST BURN!
SLAM
OOPS.

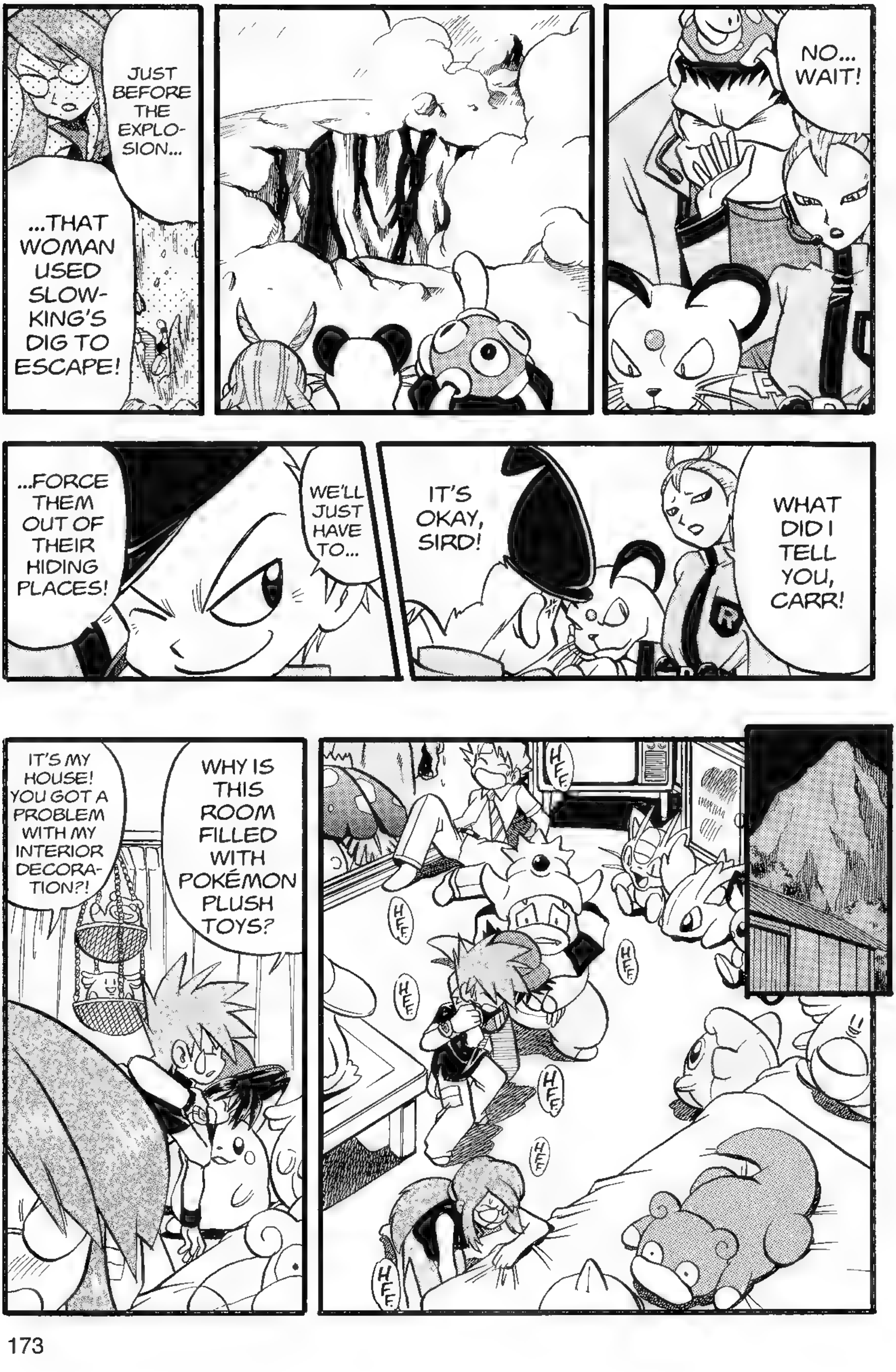

THAT'S ENOUGH PLAYING AROUND, CARR.
HURRY UP AND GET THE JOB DONE!
ALL RIGHT, SIRD.
HA HA HA! AMAZING! THOSE ARE SOME POWERFUL MOVES!
BUT THEY'RE USELESS IF YOU CAN'T HIT ME WITH THEM!
THERE ARE MORE HERE?!
IT'S NOT THAT, CARR... I JUST WANT YOU TO BE CAUTIOUS.
THAT'S RIGHT, HEH HEH...
KRRCH
HMPH! DON'T YOU TRUST ME, ORM?!
THAT'S RIGHT, CARR. YOU'RE GOING TO LOSE YOUR CHANCE IF YOU KEEP MESSING AROUND, HEH HEH...


ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE MYSELF AND MY COMPAN-IONS.
WE ARE THE THREE BEASTS— THE SPECIAL FORCES OF TEAM ROCKET AND OUR BOSS'S MOST LOYAL SOLDIERS.
SIRD!
CARR!
AND I'M ORM.


WHAT NEFARIOUS SCHEME IS GIOVANNI TRYING TO ACCOMPLISH NOW WITH THAT MYSTERY POKÉMON?!
WHAT ARE YOU PLANNING TO DO?!
BOSS?! YOU'RE REFERRING TO—
—GIOVANNI, OF COURSE.
TELL US!
AND WHY WERE WE—AND GREEN AND HER PARENTS—ATTACKED?!
RED! YOU CAN'T JUST CHARGE STRAIGHT AT THEM LIKE THAT!
ZIP
GRRRR!
JUMP
NO WAY.



P F
FAM
BL
RM
BL
RM
SIGH... IT'S OVER.
IT'S A BIT DISAPPOINTING TO SEE THEM GO THAT QUICKLY...


JUST BEFORE THE EXPLOSION...
...THAT WOMAN USED SLOWKING'S DIG TO ESCAPE!
NO... WAIT!
...FORCE THEM OUT OF THEIR HIDING PLACES!
WE'LL JUST HAVE TO...
IT'S OKAY, SIRD!
WHAT DID I TELL YOU, CARR!
IT'S MY HOUSE! YOU GOT A PROBLEM WITH MY INTERIOR DECORATION?!
WHY IS THIS ROOM FILLED WITH POKÉMON PLUSH TOYS?
HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF
HFF


YOU DON'T STAND A CHANCE.
KLIK
DON'T GO OUTSIDE UNTIL I GIVE THE ALL-CLEAR.
THIS PLACE ISN'T THAT FAR FROM THE CAVE. WE'D BETTER HIDE OUT HERE FOR A WHILE.
I NEVER DREAMED THE TEAM ROCKET EXECU-TIVES WERE SO POWER-FUL...!
WE ARE THE THREE BEASTS OF TEAM ROCKET!
TA DA
THIS IMAGE IS BEING BROAD-CAST ALL OVER THE SEVII ISLANDS!
TEAM ROCKET IS ABOUT TO LAUNCH AN ALL-OUT ATTACK ON YOUR LAND!
WANTED
BLUE
CITIZENS OF THE SEVII ISLANDS, IF YOU WISH US TO HALT OUR ATTACK, HAND OVER RED, BLUE AND GREEN OF PALLET TOWN!

● Adventure 278 ●
Put Your Beast Foot Forward





WE, THE THREE BEASTS OF TEAM ROCKET, ARE GOING TO ATTACK THE SEVII ISLANDS—RIGHT NOW!
LET ME SAY THAT AGAIN ...
RMBL RMBL
HUH? THE ISLAND IS SHAK-ING!
IT FEELS LIKE ALL OF FOUR ISLAND IS VIBRATING ...
RMBL
RSTL
WHAT'S GOING ON?!
!


FOR STARTERS...
...I'M GOING TO ATTACK FIVE ISLAND.
ORM WILL ATTACK SIX ISLAND.
AND SIRD WILL VISIT SEVEN ISLAND— AND DEMOLISH IT. YOU HAVE BEEN WARNED.
WHOEVER IS PROTECTING RED, BLUE AND GREEN OF PALLET TOWN...
IF YOU WISH US TO CANCEL OUR ATTACK ...
KRASH


RM
...HAND THOSE KIDS OVER TO US IMMEDIATELY!
BL
RM
BL


...
AN ALL-OUT ATTACK ON THE SEVII ISLANDS ...?!
THAT'S JUST TH' KIND OF ROTTEN BLACK-MAIL TEAM ROCKET WOULD ENGAGE IN!
BUT WHY IN TARNATION DO THEY WANNA...
... CAPTURE RED, BLUE AND GREEN?
WHAT'S IN IT FOR THEM?!
I HAVEN'T THE FOGGI-EST ...
BUT NOW THAT WE KNOW THEY'RE AFTER US, WE CAN'T HOLE UP HERE ANY LONGER.
IF THEY WANT ME, I'LL GIVE THEM WHAT THEY WANT!
HOLD IT, BLUE!
FWUMP
I'M GOING TOO.


THEY'RE GOING TO FIVE ISLAND, SIX ISLAND AND SEVEN ISLAND, RIGHT?
THAT MEANS WE'LL NEED AT LEAST THREE TO FIGHT THEM.
RED!
YOU HEARD THE ANNOUNCE-MENT? HOW DID YOU WEATHER THE EXPLOSION?
I'M FINE... HA HA...
IF RED IS GOING TO FIVE ISLAND AND BLUE IS GOING TO SIX ISLAND...
RIGHT! THEN...
...THAT MEANS I SHOULD GO TO SEVEN ISLAND!
IS THAT OKAY WITH YOU GUYS?
LORELEI ...
YEAH, THANKS!


RMBL RMBL
DID YOU SAY SOME-THING?
GLARE
SHDDR!
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT. I'LL TAKE YOU. AHAHAHA...
TCH... YOU THINK THE *SEAGALLOP* IS SOME KIND OF TAXI OR SOME-THING?
I haven't had a moment's rest!
MUMBL MUMBL
LEAD THE WAY.
Oh joy.
THERE IT IS, RED! FIVE ISLAND!
YAY!
I'M GOING ON AHEAD OF YOU GUYS!
WU
FLAP FLAP


WELL THEN...
TIME TO LAUNCH OUR ATTACK.
I'LL PROBABLY BLOW THE WHOLE ISLAND OUT OF THE WATER!
AND MY ATTACKS ARE **AWESOME!**
WOOOPF
DRAGONBREATH!
KWA
FOOM
BOOOM
HA HA HA HA HA!


RMBL
I'LL DESTROY EVERYTHING.
RESORT GORGEOUS AND THE MEMORIAL PILLAR TOO...
HMM... I'M GETTING BORED OF BATTLING FROM UP HERE.
YOU WANNA ATTACK HEAD-ON, FORRETRESS?!
OKAY THEN! FLY STRAIGHT INTO THE POKÉMON CENTER AND...
EXPLOSION!
TING
KABOOOOOM!


WHAT'S UP WITH YOU, FORRETRESS?
YOU DIDN'T EXPLODE? YOU'RE JUST SMOLDERING?
HUH?
EXPLOSION AGAIN...?
I'M NOT FALLING FOR THAT ANYMORE!


YOU HAVE SOME NERVE CHASING AFTER ME!
I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU STOPPED MY FORRETRESS FROM USING EXPLOSION, BUT...
...I DO NOT APPRECIATE YOUR MEDDLING!
HOW DARE YOU STAND IN MY WAY?
I'LL DESTROY YOU! THAT'LL STOP YOU FROM TRYING YOUR LITTLE TRICKS ON ME!
MUNCH
HAHA-HAHA! SERVES YOU RIGHT!
!



!
MY BRAVE FRIEND POLI PREVENTED YOUR FORRETRESS FROM USING EXPLOSION.
POLI'S ABILITY IS DAMP, WHICH PREVENTS EXPLOSION MOVES!
MMPH
PLUS ...
...POLI IS A RELIABLE CLOSE-COMBAT FIGHTER!
STOP THIS ...
... FOCUS PUNCH!


TNK TNK TNK
WHAT THE ...?
THIS IS UNFORGIVABLE!
WELL, IF I CAN'T STOP YOU, I'LL JUST HAVE TO STAB YOU WITH...
...IRON TAIL!
ZZZZ

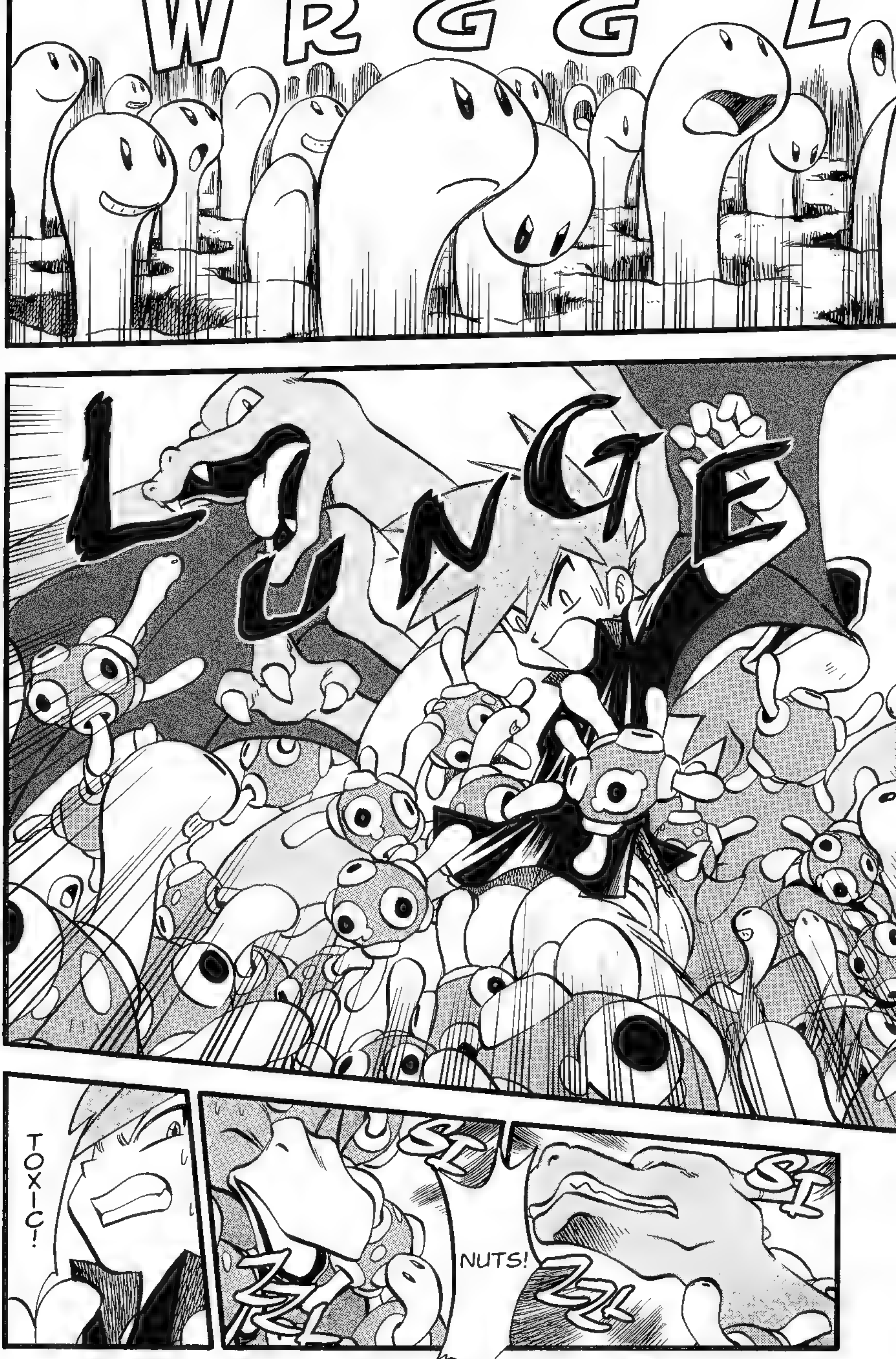

YOU CAN'T FIGURE OUT WHY YOU LOST?
GRAB
OW! WHY...?
ZIP
KA SMASH
IT... STOPPED THE ATTACK?!
DOOOMPH


GULP
MIND READER LETS POLI READ YOUR MOVES BEFORE YOU USE THEM, SO IT CAN PICK THE RIGHT ATTACK TO COUNTER THEM.
POLI USED MIND READER BEFORE YOU ATTACKED ME WITH IRON TAIL...
ANSWER ME!
I WON'T LET YOU DAMAGE THESE ISLANDS! WHY ARE YOU AFTER US ANYWAY?! IS IT BECAUSE WE'RE GETTING IN THE WAY OF YOUR SECRET PLAN?!
HOW COULD YOU DO SOMETHING SO AWFUL TO THIS ISLAND AND ALL THESE INNOCENT PEOPLE? THEY HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS!
AS A MATTER OF FACT, WE **NEED** YOU.
YOU'RE NOT IN OUR WAY.
?!
NO. IT'S THE OTHER WAY AROUND.
OUR ORDERS FROM GIOVANNI...
...ARE TO USE YOU TO LURE THE DNA POKÉMON DEOXYS TO US.
WE'VE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO CAPTURE YOU—AT ANY COST.

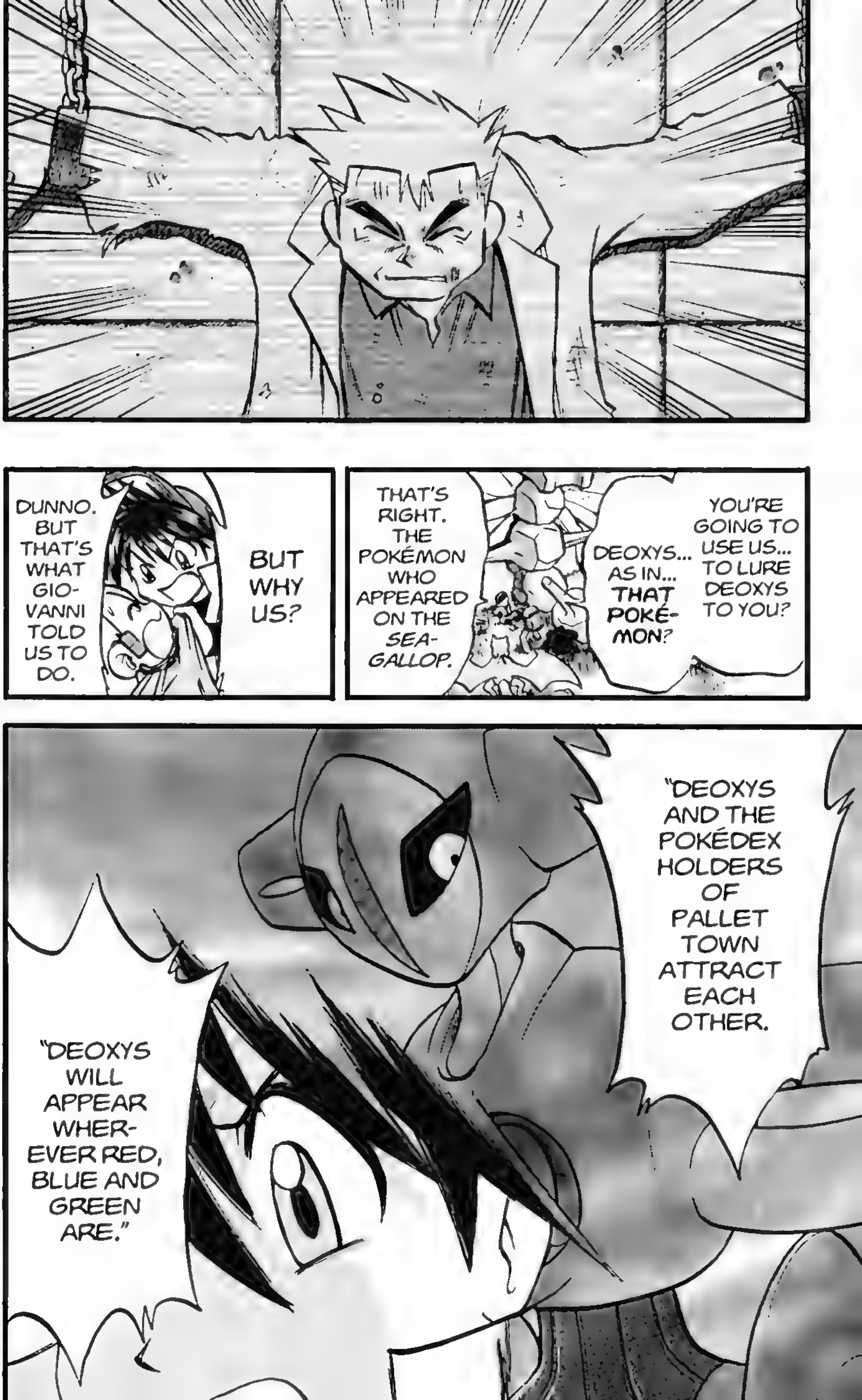

SIX ISLAND ...
SIGH ...
THIS IS SO-O-O BORING.
THE PEOPLE ON SIX ISLAND...
...ARE SO WEAK.
OW ...
URRGH ...
WELL THEN, I'LL PASS BY PATTERN BUSH AND HEAD FOR ALTERING CAVE.
RUIN VALLEY SOUNDS FUN TOO, HEH HEH...
SPLASH
HOLD IT!


OOH, YOU DECIDED TO COME OUT! IMPRESSIVE!
CHARIZARD!
SPLASH
FLAME-THROWER!
FFOOSSSSH


KRKL KRKL
TMP
?!
DON'T EXPECT TO SCORCH EVERYTHING THAT EASILY!
YOUR FIRE-TYPE MOVES DON'T HAVE ANY EFFECT ON MY SHUCKLE WHEN THEY HIDE IN THEIR SHELLS.
POP POP POP POP POP POP POP POP
AND ...
POP POP


WRGGL
LUNGE
TOXIC!
SI
SI
NUTS!
ZZZ
ZZZ


SKRICH SKRICH
THESE LITTLE POKÉMON ARE CUTE ONCE YOU GET TO KNOW THEM.
MY MY... YOU DON'T SEEM TOO HAPPY ABOUT THIS.
ACK... URGH!
WRGGL
WE HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF OUR FAMILY, DON'T WE?
OUR FAMILY INCLUDES ALL KINDS OF POKÉ-MON.
WRGGL
OOH, AND ANOTHER THING! GIOVANNI TOLD ME THAT...
...THERE'S SOMEONE WHO'S AN IMPORTANT PART OF **YOUR** FAMILY TOO.
WOMMM
TAKE A LOOK AND SEE HOW HE'S DOING...
VRR
MBL


BUT WHY US?
DUNNO. BUT THAT'S WHAT GIO-VANNI TOLD US TO DO.
YOU'RE GOING TO USE US... TO LURE DEOXYS TO YOU?
DEOXYS... AS IN... THAT POKÉ-MON?
THAT'S RIGHT. THE POKÉMON WHO APPEARED ON THE SEA-GALLOP.
"DEOXYS AND THE POKÉDEX HOLDERS OF PALLET TOWN ATTRACT EACH OTHER.
"DEOXYS WILL APPEAR WHER-EVER RED, BLUE AND GREEN ARE."

Character Profile

Bill

BILL SKIPPED SEVERAL GRADES AND GRADUATED AT AN UNUSUALLY YOUNG AGE FROM SEVERAL ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS. HE IS HIGHLY INTELLIGENT AND WAS AT THE CENTER OF THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE POKÉMON STORAGE SYSTEM. HE CONDUCTS HIS RESEARCH AT A SEA COTTAGE ON CERULEAN CAPE WITH HIS ASSISTANT DAISY. HE IS CURRENTLY INVESTIGATING THE MYSTERY AT THE SEVII ISLANDS WITH RED AND THE OTHERS.

BILL



- Birthplace: Goldenrod City
- Birthday: December 31
- Blood Type: O
- Profession: Pokémon Storage System Developer & Manager, Pokémon Analyst, Pokémon Association Member.


WE WEREN'T STRONG ENOUGH.
WE'VE...
...LOST.
THE DNA POKÉMON, DEOXYS!
RED IS CRUSHED BY ITS OVERWHELMING POWER!
NEXT VOLUME!
THE DEFEAT ...
...LEADS TO STRIFE!


WHAT ...?!
THAT'S EASY FOR YOU TO SAY, BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T FIGHT IT!
SHOVE
CONFIDENCE, PRIDE, FRIENDSHIP—ALL THREE ARE ON THE LINE!
WHAT ?!
YAK
WILL EVERYTHING THEY'VE BUILT UP TOGETHER FALL APART!?
MAYBE ...
...THIS IS WHY PROFES-SOR OAK TOOK THE POKÉDEX AWAYFROM ME...
!
AS RED STRUGGLES, WHO SHOULD APPEAR BEFORE HIM BUT...?
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RED ...
THE EMOTION YOU CARRY INSIDE YOU... I UNDER-STAND IT WELL.
WILL RED GET BACK ON HIS FEET...?!



Message from
Hidenori Kusaka

Adventure 268, "The Escape," (included in this volume) is an episode we created for a grade school magazine. At the time, we didn't plan to include it in the graphic novel, and that's what we told our readers. But we kept getting requests from fans who didn't get to read it in the magazine asking us to include it in the graphic novel. So we decided to go ahead and do it. I'm always astounded by the passionate support of our readers! And now, please sit back, relax and enjoy this volume!

Message from
Satoshi Yamamoto

The Fifth Chapter of *Pokémon Adventures* starts in this volume. Red and Blue return to their hometown, only to depart again because of the appearance of a new enemy. This journey will be tougher than anything they have experienced before! Red and the others seem to have mastered their skills as Pokémon Trainers, but now you'll see how they take on the new challenge before them.

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Don't Doubt Deoxys



Pokémon Adventures FireRed & LeafGreen The Fifth Chapter


ONE ISLAND...
POKÉMON NET CENTER...
CITIZENS OF THE SEVII ISLANDS, IF YOU WANT US TO STOP THIS ATTACK, HAND OVER RED, BLUE AND GREEN OF PALLET TOWN!
THEY USED A POWERFUL ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVE TO HACK THE SEVII ISLANDS' TV BROADCAST NETWORK!
WANTED
THIS IMAGE IS BEING AIRED ALL OVER THE SEVII ISLANDS...
I'VE GOT TO CALL BILL AND TELL HIM RIGHT AWAY...
CELIO!
I'VE FINALLY FIGURED OUT...
...THE REASON THE POKÉMON TRANSPORTER WASN'T WORKING. IT'S BECAUSE THOSE GOONS WERE INTERRUPTING THE SIGNAL!
IT WAS ALL TEAM ROCKET'S FAULT!
HEY, I'VE FIGURED IT OUT! THE REASON THE POKÉMON TRANS-PORTER WAS—
NOW'S NOT THE TIME!


THOSE POKÉMON TRAINERS—RED, BLUE AND GREEN—THAT THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT ON TV... THOSE ARE THE KIDS YOU HELPED OUT THE OTHER DAY, AREN'T THEY?!
UM... YEAH.
EVERY-ONE WHO SAW THAT ANNOUNCE-MENT HAS COME TO THE NETWORK CENTER!
THEY WANT US TO...HAND THOSE KIDS OVER TO THOSE TERROR-ISTS...
LOOK! FIVE ISLAND, SIX ISLAND AND SEVEN ISLAND...
THEY'RE ALL IN A TERRIBLE STATE DUE TO THE ATTACKS!
SEVII ISLAND WAS A PEACE-FUL PLACE UP TILL NOW!
WE KNOW THOSE THREE KIDS CAME TO THE POKÉMON NETWORK CENTER.
THEY'LL STOP THE ATTACK IF WE HAND THE KIDS OVER!
BRING THEM OUT!


MUR MUR
I...
I HAVE TO... GO.
STGGR
STGGR


THAT POKÉMON IS CALLED ...
...DEOXYS.
SO YOU'RE SAYING... WE'RE DRAWING THAT POKÉMON HERE?
AND DEOXYS AND THE POKÉDEX HOLDERS OF PALLET TOWN ATTRACT EACH OTHER SOMEHOW...
IS THAT TRUE?!
FIVE ISLAND ...
SAUR, DON'T LET HIM GO!
I HAVE TO HELP THE VICTIMS OF THE ATTACK!
AHH!
URRGH ...
OW... SOMEBODY... HELP ME.
ARE YOU OKAY...? I'VE CAPTURED THE GUY WHO WAS ATTACKING THIS ISLAND.
THERE'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.
ARE YOU KIDDING ME?!
NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT?!
LET GO OF ME!
SLAP


I SAW THAT ANNOUNCEMENT, YOU KNOW!
YOU'RE THE REASON THE SEVII ISLANDS ARE BEING ATTACKED IN THE FIRST PLACE!
SO WHAT IF YOU STOPPED THE GUY WHO'S ATTACKING THIS ISLAND NOW?!
HIS TEAMMATES WILL KEEP TARGETING US AS LONG AS YOU'RE HERE!!
GRIN
UH...
HEY!
FLAP FLAP
WELL DONE, RED!
TMP
YOU'VE ALREADY CAP-TURED SHORTY HERE, HUH?
RED ?
THUNK


TNK
WHAT'S WRONG, RED?
THAT'S RIGHT! YOU BROUGHT THIS UPON THE SEVII ISLANDS!
LEAVE, OUT-SIDERS!
GET OFF OUR ISLAND!
HEY! WHAT KIND OF THANKS IS THAT?!
RED CAME TO HELP Y'ALL! HE'S USED ALL HIS KNOWLEDGE AND TH' SKILLS HE'S HONED...
...TO FIGHT THE ENEMY!
PLUS, RED IS A POKÉDEX HOLDER! PROFESSOR OAK, THE GREAT POKÉMON RESEARCHER, ENTRUSTED HIM WITH A POKÉDEX!
HE'S A **SPECIAL** TRAINER!


OH YEAH? LET'S SEE THAT POKÉDEX THEN!
PROVE YOU'RE A SPECIAL TRAINER!
...
I... I...
...DON'T HAVE IT WITH ME RIGHT NOW, ACTUALLY...
SEE! HE BROUGHT ALL THIS DOWN ON US AND HE'S A LIAR TO BOOT!
WHAT'D YA SAY ?!
BILL!
IT'S OKAY.
DON'T.
RED ...


LUB DUB
WZZ ZZZ
BRRR
?!
A POKÉMON WHO'S DRAWN TO THE POKÉDEX HOLDERS OF PALLET TOWN...
THE POKÉ-MON...
... DEOXYS.
LUB
DUB
WE... DRAW...
...THAT POKÉMON... TO US!
LUB
DUB


WHAT'RE YOU TALKIN' 'BOUT, RED?!
BILL, I CAN'T EXPLAIN WHY, BUT...
... THERE'S ONE THING I KNOW FOR SURE!
IT'S **HERE**!
RMBL
IT WAS **DRAWN** TO **ME**!
ROOAAAR
AND NOW THAT POKÉ-MON ...
...HAS APPEARED!


YEEHAW!
IT'S HERE! IT'S HERE! IT'S HERE!
KRCK
SO THIS IS DEOXYS...
THE REAL ONE! I'VE NEVER MET THIS POKÉMON BEFORE!
THIS TRANSLUCENT VERSION...
...IT'S THE ONE DITTO SAW ON THE SEAGALLOP.
STRTCH
NO... IT'S CHANGED SHAPE!
IT'S TAKEN THE FORM OF THE POKÉMON WE SAW ON THE RECORDING ON THE SILPH SCOPE!
PIKA!
ZIP
OKAY, THUNDERBOLT!
ZZZAAP
WOM WOM WOM


IT CHANGED AGAIN!
INTO A DIFFER-ENT FORM!


RMBL
IS THERE MORE THAN ONE ENEMY? IS THIS POKÉMON EVOLVING? OR MAYBE...THIS ENEMY CAN CHANGE SHAPES...
IT'S JUST LIKE BLUE THOUGHT!
THAT'S RIGHT! IT'S CALLED ...
... FORME CHANGE!
THERE'S ONLY ONE ENEMY. BUT IT'S A UNIQUE POKÉMON WHO CHANGES ITS FORME DEPENDING ON THE SITUATION ANDBATTLE-STYLE...
FORME CHANGE ?!
WZZ ZZZZ


LET'S GO! PIKA! AERO!
SWOOP
FWIP FWIP
SWISH
WHZZZZ
PLUNK
KLINCH


YA
DONK
WOM WOM WOM
SHING
FWUMP

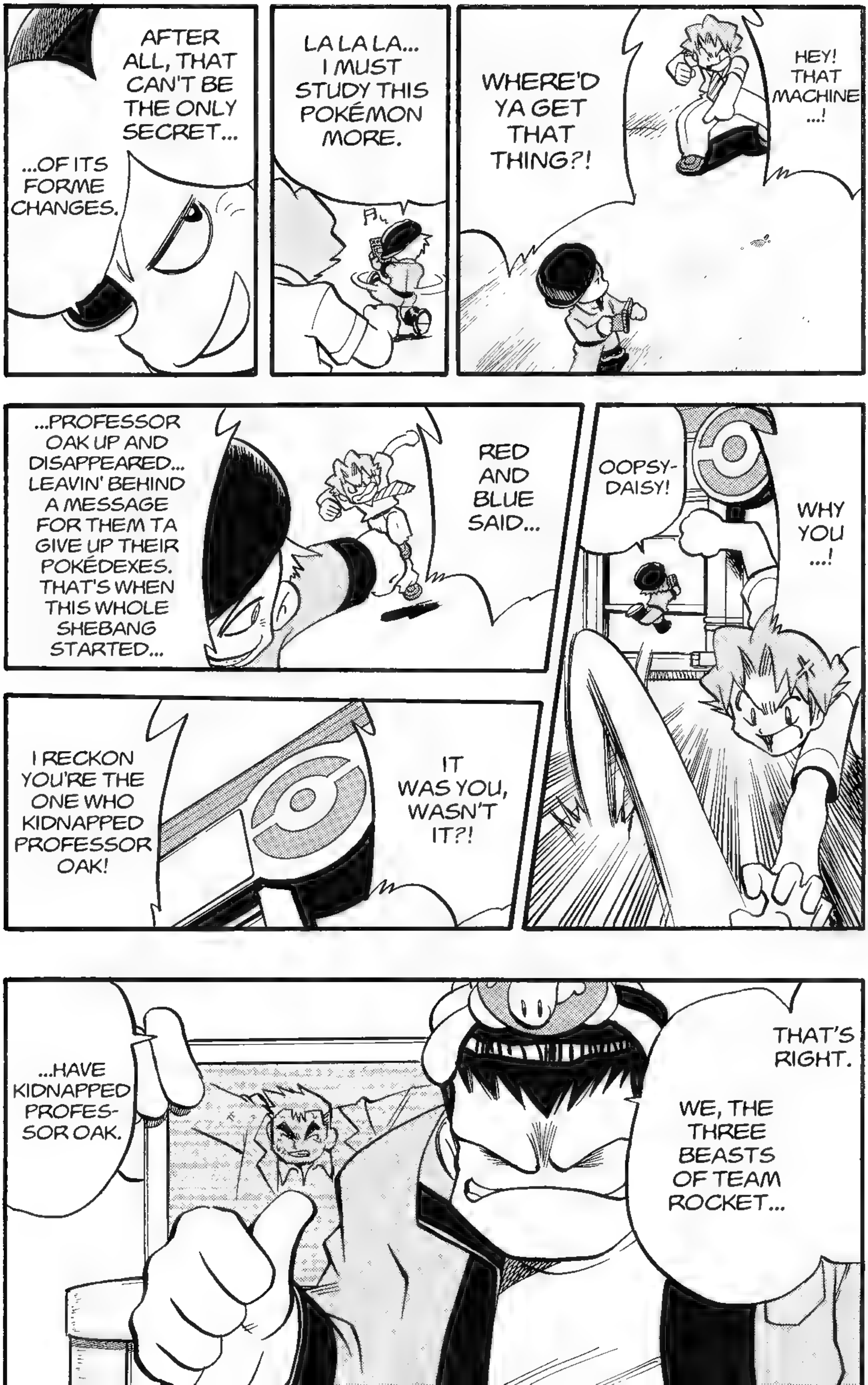

ITS TEN-TACLES CHANGED SHAPE... THEY'RE SHARP NOW!
SNAG
SWISH
AERO!


SNOR!
SWING
SWING
BOOM
SMASH
IT DIDN'T EVEN BUDGE?!
BACK AWAY, SNOR!


WOOO
IT KEEPS CHANGING!
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO DEFEAT A POKÉMON THAT CAN FORME CHANGE?
IF ONLY I HAD MY POKÉDEX WITH ME...
WELL... SINCE I DON'T, I GUESS...
...I'LL JUST HAVE TO DISCOVER ITS WEAKNESSES ON MY OWN.
GYARA!
BOM
PIKA!
FROM WHAT I'VE SEEN SO FAR, THE FORME WITH THE SHARP TENTACLES HAS A STRONG OFFENSE...
....AND THAT ROBUST LOOKING FORME HAS A STRONG DEFENSE!
I'M NOT SURE ABOUT THE FORME IT USED TO PUNCH US... THAT ONE WAS TRANSLUCENT, SO...
...I COULDN'T SEE IT CLEARLY.



OOH! YOU'RE QUITE THE OBSERVANT ONE!
AND YOU'RE RIGHT SO FAR.
ALLOW ME TO OFFER YOU SOME TERMS FOR YOUR OBSERVATIONS...
THE OFFENSIVE SHAPE IS CALLED THE ATTACK FORME.
THE DEFENSIVE SHAPE IS CALLED THE DEFENSE FORME.
AND THE DATA I GATHERED FROM SEEING IT IN ACTION NEARBY IS...
OH!
No. 386 Deoxys
DNA Pokémon
Height: 5'07"
Weight: 134.0lbs.
This Deoxys has transformed into its aggressive guise. It can fool enemies by altering its appearance.
OOH!
386 Deoxys
DNA Pokémon
Height: 5'07"
Weight: 134.0lbs.
When it changes form, an aurora appears. It absorbs attacks by altering its cellular structure.
HEH HEH HEH! THIS IS WONDERFUL.
IT'S CLEAR THAT IT SURPASSES ANY ORDINARY POKÉMON!
BOING
BOING
THAT DEVICE...
IT'S BLACK, BUT IT LOOKS AND FUNCTIONS...
...JUST LIKE A POKÉDEX!



HEY! THAT MACHINE ...!
WHERE'D YA GET THAT THING?!
LA LA LA... I MUST STUDY THIS POKÉMON MORE.
AFTER ALL, THAT CAN'T BE THE ONLY SECRET...
...OF ITS FORME CHANGES.
WHY YOU ...!
OOPSY-DAISY!
RED AND BLUE SAID...
...PROFESSOR OAK UP AND DISAPPEARED... LEAVIN' BEHIND A MESSAGE FOR THEM TA GIVE UP THEIR POKÉDEXES. THAT'S WHEN THIS WHOLE SHEBANG STARTED...
IT WAS YOU, WASN'T IT?!
I RECKON YOU'RE THE ONE WHO KIDNAPPED PROFESSOR OAK!
THAT'S RIGHT.
WE, THE THREE BEASTS OF TEAM ROCKET...
...HAVE KIDNAPPED PROFES-SOR OAK.

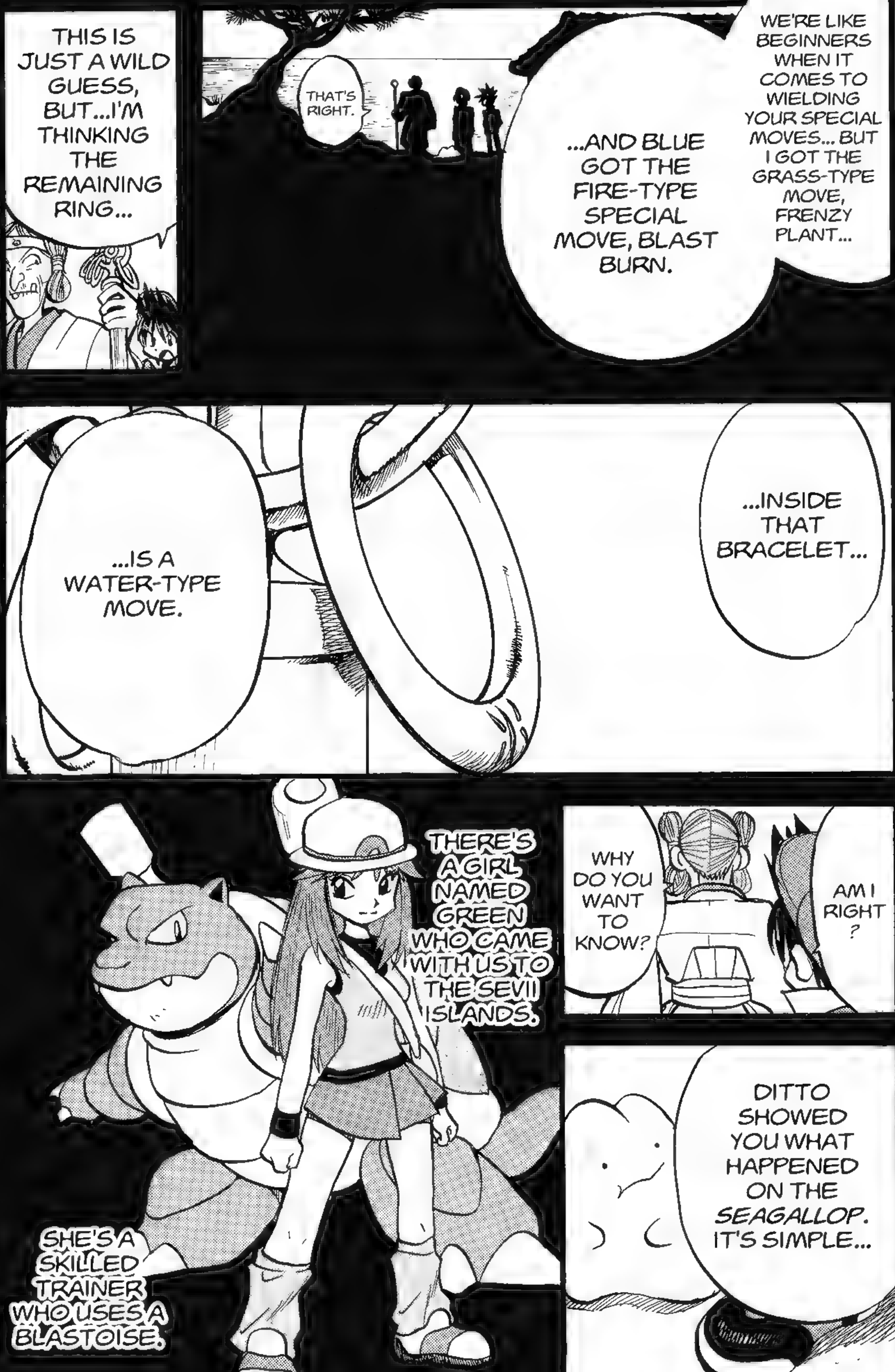


YOU KID-NAPPED MY GRAND-FATHER!
YEP. AND YOU CAN'T DO A THING ABOUT IT.
MACHAMP! SCIZOR!
I DON'T CARE IF YOU HIT US TOO! USE EVERYTHING YOU'VE GOT TO TEAR THESE SHUCKLE OFF OF US!
HYPER BEAM!
FOOSH
METAL CLAW!
GLARE
URGH!
KRASH
THUNK
WHOA!
HEH HEH HEH HEH HEH.
I'LL ADMIT, HE'S GOT GUTS.
I GUESS THE LOVE OF FAMILY IS A POWER-FUL EMOTION.


FWWWWWWW
THERE THERE, CUTE LITTLE SHUCKLE. WHO'S A CUTE SHUCKLE, HM...?
WE'LL GO FOR A STROLL IN A FIELD OF FLOWERS AFTER THIS IS ALL OVER.
PAT PAT
BUT BONDS BETWEEN SHUCKLE ARE STRONG TOO.
OW!
WHAT WAS THAT?!
A DRILL ?!
WZ ZZZT
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR YA TO GIVE ORDERS T' EVERY SINGLE ONE OF THOSE POKÉMON!
WHICH MEANS THE SHUCKLE ON YOUR TEAM MUST BE IN COMMAND OF ALL THOSE OTHER WILD SHUCKLE!
KE-DRRAK
ALL I HAFTA DO TO DEFEAT YOUR SHUCKLE IS TO DISRUPT THE UNITY OF THE OTHERS!


FWUMP
SCIZOR AND MACHAMP'S ATTACK WAS DESIGNED TO LURE YOU RIGHT ABOVE MY RHYDON...
...BUT YOU DIDN'T NOTICE.
YOU CAN TAKE THAT STROLL LATER **IN YOUR DREAMS!**
GRAND-FATHER ...
WHERE ARE YOU...?


AHH! SIX ISLAND AND SEVEN ISLAND ARE IN CHAOS TOO NOW...
I HOPE RED, BLUE AND THAT GIRL WITH THE GLASSES ARE OKAY...
RING
HUH?
IT'S ME!
ULTIMA?! I-IS THERE SOME-THING I CAN DO FOR YOU?
Ack.
YES, THAT'S WHY I'M CALL-ING!
COME AND PICK ME UP WITH THE SEAGALLOP RIGHT AWAY!
I'M GOING TO ONE ISLAND!
WHAT?! WHY?!
DON'T WASTE TIME JIBBER-JABBERING! HOP TO IT! ON THE DOUBLE!
AIYEEE!
...
KLNK
ULTIMA ...!


THIS IS JUST A WILD GUESS, BUT...I'M THINKING THE REMAINING RING...
THAT'S RIGHT.
WE'RE LIKE BEGINNERS WHEN IT COMES TO WIELDING YOUR SPECIAL MOVES... BUT I GOT THE GRASS-TYPE MOVE, FRENZY PLANT...
...AND BLUE GOT THE FIRE-TYPE SPECIAL MOVE, BLAST BURN.
...INSIDE THAT BRACELET...
...IS A WATER-TYPE MOVE.
THERE'S A GIRL NAMED GREEN WHO CAME WITH US TO THE SEVII ISLANDS.
SHE'S A SKILLED TRAINER WHO USES A BLASTOISE.
AM I RIGHT?
WHY DO YOU WANT TO KNOW?
DITTO SHOWED YOU WHAT HAPPENED ON THE SEAGALLOP. IT'S SIMPLE...


I'D PREFER TO SETTLE THIS MYSELF WITH BLUE... AND I'M SURE HE FEELS THE SAME.
SHE'S ON ONE ISLAND AT THE MOMENT. SHE GOT HURT IN THE ATTACK EARLIER. PERSONALLY, I DON'T WANT TO GET HER INVOLVED IN THIS...
YOU'RE SUGGEST-ING...THAT THIS GIRL IS WORTHY OF LEARNING THE WATER-TYPE MOVE?
SHE'LL WANT TO COME WITH US.
BUT... KNOWING HER...
THE FIRE-TYPE MOVE, BLAST BURN...
AND ...
KRRNCH
THE GRASS-TYPE MOVE, FRENZY PLANT...
...THE WATER-TYPE MOVE, HYDRO CANNON...


TINGLE
WOOO
THREE TRAINERS WORTHY OF LEARNING THESE MOVES APPEARED AT THE SAME TIME. I NEVER THOUGHT I'D LIVE TO SEE THE DAY!
THIS MUST MEAN THAT... THE WHEELS OF FATE... ARE BEGINNING TO TURN.
RMBLRMB
LOOK, PIKA! A CLOUD IS COVERING THE SKY.
CAN YOU DO IT...?
FLASH
GO! THUNDER!


TRMBL TRMBL
YEAH! YOU DID IT, PIKA!
SEEMS LIKE THE CRYSTAL IN ITS CHEST IS THE SOURCE OF ITS POWER!
IT LOOKS LIKE IT CAN'T CHANGE FORMES AGAIN NOW!


SWISH SWISH
IT'S REGAINING ITS POWER AGAIN!
OOH! RECOVER!
HEE HEE
PIKA, USE THUNDER AGAIN! STRIKE ITS CRYSTAL!
WFF WFF
I SEE YOUR PIKACHU CAN'T USE THUNDER ANYMORE ...
... THANKS TO DEOXYS'S ABILITY PRESSURE.
WFF


OOOH! POWER OF 140!
THIS IS IT! DEOXYS'S GREATEST MOVE...
...PSYCHO BOOST!
KWAFAAM
STUDY COMPLETE...
FMP
TO BE CONTINUED...

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